

# WEATHER FORECAST

For 24 hours ending 6 p.m., Thursday:  
Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate wind, mostly cloudy and mild with showers.

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# 400 LOST LIVES IN DISASTER IN JAPAN

## MOVE FOR BEER IS LIMTED TO VOTERS ON LAST LIST ONLY

Persons Not on List Last Year or This Not Considered Under Government Policy

## Cranbrook Beer Sponsors May Have to Prepare New Petition to Meet Requirements

People sponsoring beer moves in various parts of British Columbia will have to arrange petitions on the matter to the Government with extreme care if they are to secure new votes in the open sale of the foaming beverage. This became clear at the Parliament Buildings to-day when Premier Oliver started to consider a petition from Cranbrook for a new beer plebiscite to be held immediately. Weakness in the petition was detected by the Premier as soon as he went into it, and it may be necessary for those behind the Cranbrook beer move to get out a new petition.

### POLICY OUTLINED

The Government's policy in regard to beer votes, as explained by the Premier to-day, is definite and outlined by Order-in-Council. Beer plebiscites will not be ordered unless forty per cent of the electors of any city, as set out in the 1925 voters list, ask for such votes. If thirty-five per cent of the electors as set out in the 1925 revised list request a vote, however, it may be arranged. In the case of the Cranbrook petition, the petitioners state that forty-three per cent of the signatures contained appear on the 1924 voters list. This, of course, is not in accordance with the Government's policy. The petition will be checked over, however, to determine whether there are enough of the petitioners on the 1925 list as well as on the 1924 list to justify a plebiscite. It was explained to-day that a plebiscite may be held not only in an entire constituency, but in any polling division. This is part of a riding may petition for a plebiscite and get it, while the other part continue as they are without a vote. In the case of Cranbrook, the petitioners are ready, while the city itself is dry, having voted against beer by a majority of fifty-one in the general plebiscite of 1924.

## D. LLOYD GEORGE DEFENDS COURSE

Says He is Wrongly Criticized For Attitude Toward Recent British Strike

Llandudno, Wales, May 26.—David Lloyd George, chairman of the Liberal Parliamentary Party in the House of Commons, to-day defended his attitude toward the recent general strike in Great Britain, which has been strongly censured by Lord Oxford, leader of the Liberal Party. Delivering a speech here which had been eagerly anticipated, Mr. Lloyd George again condemned the general strike and declared there had been no excuse for the Government to break off the coal negotiations when there was still a chance to prevent the great industrial tie-up.

### MISTAKE IS CHARGED

He charged the negotiations between the Government and the union leaders had been broken off because of the strike in the office of The London Daily Mail. He said the trade union leaders had repudiated that strike, but that the Government had refused to negotiate further although there was still twenty-four hours before the general strike was timed to commence. "All this does not justify the general strike," Mr. Lloyd George said, "but while we are blaming the trade union leaders for this blunder, let us be impartial in our judgment and mete out condemnation of the incredible blunders committed by the Government."

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## Search is Made Now in Mexico For Aimee McPherson

Los Angeles, May 26.—Attention in the Aimee McPherson case shifted to-day to the Mexican border after it was learned an El Paso, Texas, deputy sheriff and two federal operatives had been checking up for the last two days on a tip that the missing Los Angeles evangelist and another woman had crossed the border at El Paso several days ago. Mrs. McPherson, pastor of Angeles Temple here, disappeared a week ago yesterday while bathing at Ocean Park.

## CHILDREN'S WADING POOL OPEN TO-DAY

Kiwanis Club Formally Presents Gift to the City

Past President Emphasizes Work of Club

The Kiwanis Club of Victoria formally opened its new wading pool at Beacon Hill Park this afternoon and presented the structure to the City of Victoria for the use of the hundreds of children who will visit the spot.

Dr. Howard Miller, last year's president of the Kiwanians, in whose term of office the work was done, made the formal presentation of the pool to the City and spoke briefly of the work which Kiwanis was doing for the children and of the things they hoped to do. This pool, he said, was the latest accomplishment of the Kiwanis Club, in its efforts to benefit children. Prior to that the Club had done valuable community work. Some years ago they had started the campaign for the building of what is now known as the "East Wing" of the Jubilee Hospital. The Kiwanis Club of this new wing is the Kiwanis Club's own foster-child, Dr. Miller stated, and was commissioned and furnished by the Club. The club members were proud of these achievements.

Further than that, many of the club members were acting as "big brothers" to young boys of the city. In the near future, said Dr. Miller, other boys would be brought under the helpful guidance of the club's influential men. There were many unselfishness and interest in youth and its broadening years influenced them to sacrifice themselves to no small extent in the building of this pool. Dr. Miller. This was a very commendable spirit, he thought.

### CLUB'S INTEREST IN CHILDREN

The wading pool was just another example of the Kiwanis' interest in the children of Victoria. The club was trying to do something for the smaller children with this pool. Members had given time and money and energy to construct the first pool and would be ready to go ahead with others. He wished to thank them for their efforts and to thank His Worship Mayor Penland for contributing the necessary paint for the fence which had been built between the wading pool and the road. The painting of the fence, the excavation work, were all done by the Kiwanis Club members.

Dr. Miller also thanked the members of the Parks Committee of the City of Victoria, he said, for their splendid co-operation and for the generous grant which the city made towards the building of the pool. "On behalf of the Kiwanis Club of Victoria," Dr. Miller concluded, "I now declare this pool open and may great pleasure in handing it to you," (addressing Alderman Marchant) as the city's representative, the custody of the pool.

Alderman Marchant made fitting reply. He praised the Kiwanis Club for its work and for the spirit in which it had been accomplished. Despite the inclement weather many persons attended the opening ceremony, and later to the brief remarks of the speaker. The mayor and aldermen were present.

## ONTARIO SELLS BOND ISSUE

New York, May 26.—(Canadian Press)—The Government of Ontario to-day sold an issue of \$25,000,000 four per cent treasury bills at 99.1892 to a syndicate headed by the First National Bank of New York and composed of the Bank of Montreal, the Bank of Nova Scotia, the Dominion Bank and Lee, Higginson & Company of New York.

## TO HOLD INQUEST AT PORT ESSINGTON

Explanation of Violent Death of Miss L. Chisholm Not Yet Found

Prince Rupert, May 26.—An explanation of the mysterious and violent death met by Loretta Chisholm, twenty-two-year-old school teacher, on a path through the woods near Port Essington, south of here, appeared to-day when it was learned Mrs. W. P. Chisholm of Lulu Island was on her way north to arrange for interment of her daughter's remains in Prince Rupert. Instructions received by the authorities from Chisholm, a Vancouver longshoreman, are to hold the body until the mother arrives here. Acting Coroner J. E. Stanock will hold an inquest to-morrow, at which it is expected fresh evidence will be submitted. No arrest has been made in connection with Miss Chisholm's death other than that of an Indian half-breed who is held for examination.

## KIWANIAN GIFT TO CHILDREN OF VICTORIA PRESENTED TO CITY TO-DAY; SALT WATER WADING POOL HAS IDEAL LOCATION IN BEACON HILL PARK



## RICHARD G. HARVEY DIED IN VANCOUVER

Prominent Business Man Was Born in Victoria Fifty-nine Years Ago

Vancouver, May 26.—Richard G. Harvey, pioneer banker and business man of British Columbia, died early to-day at his residence here after a short illness. He was director of the firm of Loewen, Harvey & Preston Limited. Born in Victoria fifty-nine years ago, Mr. Harvey came to Vancouver in 1888, when the Bank of British Columbia was organized. He was prominent in the employ of that institution and for a number of years represented it in Portland. In 1903 he returned and entered partnership with Charles J. Loewen. Since that time he had resided in this city and played an important part in the development of many districts. Funeral services will be held on Friday afternoon at Christ Church. Archdeacon Henthorn will officiate, and will be assisted by Rev. C. B. Price.

Mr. Harvey is survived by a widow, one daughter, Gladys, at home, and a son, Harold, of North Vancouver.

## ARMS PROTEST IS MADE BY HUNGARY

Nation Tells Geneva Commission Heavily Armed Countries Surround Her

Geneva, May 26.—Fervid reinforcement of armaments by most of the European countries which contain the germs of new wars was alleged to-day by Hungary in a memorandum presented to the preparatory disarmament commission. Hungary also complained with bitterness that, practically disarmed herself, she is surrounded by a group of allied countries possessing vastly superior military forces.

## Ship Cut Into Vancouver Pier

Vancouver, May 26.—Reported to have been temporarily out of control on account of wind and tide, the Pacific Steamship Company's coast liner Admiral Peary sank her steel nose fifteen feet into the wooden portion of the north end of Balfour Guthrie & Company pier here yesterday afternoon. The ship cut and crashed through the wood until brought up by concrete piles. She suffered some damage, her stern being reported twisted and a hole being punched in her fresh water tank forward. She left port at 5 a.m. to-day for Seattle, where she will probably be drydocked and the full extent of the damage ascertained. Temporary repairs were made to the tank before she sailed.

## CYCLONE CAUSES DEATHS IN BURMA

Rangoon, Burma, May 26.—Reports reaching here from Akyab say a severe cyclone caused considerable loss of life and extensive damage to property. The law courts and most government buildings were destroyed. Telegraphic communication has been interrupted.

## DOISY'S PLANE WAS WRECKED

Paris, May 26.—Captain Georges Pelletier d'Oisy's aeroplane flight from Paris to Tokyo was halted by an accident at Warsaw to-day. While taking off for Moscow his machine overturned into a ditch and was hopelessly damaged. The Air Ministry announced. Neither the flier nor his mechanic was injured.

## CLAIM IS SETTLED WITHOUT A TRIAL

International Timber Company Makes Payment to Comox Logging Company

Vancouver, May 26.—On the eve of a trial which would have occupied the Supreme Court here several weeks, a \$400,000 claim of the Comox Logging and Railway Company against the International Timber Company and the Canadian Western Lumber Company Limited has been settled out of court. The litigation resulted from a fire which, starting in June 1922, near Oyster River, Vancouver Island, swept south through the timber netting of Comox to the outskirts of Courtenay. The principal damage occurred in the month of July.

PAID \$100,000

In an action by Merville settlers the Comox Logging and Railway Company was held liable by Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald and the company paid to the extent of approximately \$100,000. It then entered suit against the International Timber Company Incorporated in Washington State, and alleged the fire, which attained tremendous proportions and was responsible for great damage and loss of life, originated at the scene of the defendant's logging operations. The action had been pending for more than two years.

On the application of E. P. Davis, K.C., counsel for the Comox Logging and Railway Company, Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald last week added as Canadian Western Lumber Company Limited as a co-defendant on the plea that it owned the timber limits where the fire originated. The International Timber Company, it was alleged, had the cutting rights. Monetary compensation was sought by the Comox Logging and Railway Company for damage to timber and logging equipment.

### WITNESSES CALLED

Preparations had advanced to the stage of summoning many witnesses from Vancouver Island to give evidence at the trial, which was to have opened to-day. On Monday and Tuesday terms of settlement were discussed and an agreement satisfactory to the parties was reached. No details were disclosed, but it is understood the International Timber Company made a substantial cash payment to the Comox Logging and Railway Company.

## EARL CARROLL TRIAL NEAR END

New York, May 26.—Summons issued in the Earl Carroll perjury trial, growing out of the midnight bathtub party in his theatre here were completed to-day. Federal Judge Goddard will charge the jury tomorrow morning.

## WHEAT PRICES RISE ON CHICAGO MARKET

May Delivery Closes Day's Trading at \$1.70 3/4 to \$1.70 3/4 a Bushel

Chicago, May 26.—Soaring prices for wheat were witnessed to-day on the Board of Trade here. Wheat available for delivery in Chicago this week to apply on May (new) contracts were so scarce that hurried bidding ran the market up nearly 6 cents a bushel to \$1.70 3/4.

Excitement over May wheat developed largely in the last few minutes, when May delivery attained a premium of 30 1/2 cents over July. The May close was within 1/4 cent of the top, at \$1.70 3/4 to \$1.70 3/4. The wheat market as a whole finished nervous at net gains of 1/2 to 5/8 for the day. Speculators who were short of wheat to deliver on May contracts found offerings to-day exceedingly light. Besides, arrivals of wheat here from the southwest were grading poorly.

## CONVICT FREED OF CHARGE OF MURDER

Jury Says C. A. Moore Struck H. Higginbotham at Oakalla Prison in Self-defence

New Westminster, May 26.—Charles Alfred Moore, a "trustee" at the Oakalla Prison Farm, was acquitted of a charge of having murdered Harry Higginbotham, a fellow prisoner, May 3 last in the assize court here last evening.

According to the accused, who gave evidence on his own behalf, he saw Higginbotham and an Indian prisoner, Saul D. Weelick, standing in the doorway of the boiler house. As he went in, he said, Higginbotham lured up against him and swung around and hit him on the head and shoulder with a pall he was carrying. Moore said he quickened his pace to obtain a stick and also to get (Concluded on page 2)

## B.C. Young Woman Wins McGill Prize

Montreal, May 26.—Prize winners in addition to those announced last night by McGill University include Physical Education—Finau, Gold Medal for Highest General Proficiency Throughout—Won by Estelle M. M. Amaron, Naramata, B.C. Pass lists in the school of physical education, include Miss Amaron, with distinction, and Dorothy E. Robinson, Naramata.

## NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS

Changes of Display Advertising Copy for Saturday's issue must be handed in not later than 5 p.m. Friday.

## NANAIMO TO HAVE POLICE CHANGE

Nanaimo, May 26.—The City Council of Nanaimo decided to ask the Attorney-General's Department to take over the policing of the city and instructed the city clerk at a meeting last night to make the request in writing.

## TOKACHI VOLCANO QUIET ONCE MORE

Eruption on Hokkaido Island, Japan, Dies Down After Great Loss of Life

Tokio, May 26.—Mount Tokachi, the long slumbering volcano on the island of Hokkaido which burst into eruption Monday with disastrous results, both in lives lost and material damage done, was quiet to-day. There were only voluminous clouds of smoke issuing from the crater. The lava had ceased flowing.

### MANY ESCAPED

Warned by preliminary rumblings, many of the people on the mountain-side escaped before the eruption and the deluge from the mountain lake down the side of the volcano. Although the eruption died down at furious speed into the village of Biel, an embankment near the entrance to the town checked the force of the water, thus enabling most of the inhabitants to escape.

At Kamifurue, it is reported some 200 villagers were washed away. Fear is expressed Matsumoto Spa is a total loss.

Many bodies floated down the Purano River, which overflowed its banks. Considerable anxiety is felt regarding the fate of other villages connected with the Hirayama Sulphur Mining Company.

### WORK HAMPERED

Rescue work is being badly hampered by the condition of the country, due to the flood. Lava covers the five quickly spread to the fourth floor, thus preventing trains reaching Biel.

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## \$150,000 FIRE IN WINNIPEG TO-DAY

Blaze Started on Third Floor of Four-story Warehouse

Winnipeg, May 26.—Starting on the third floor of a four-story brick warehouse building on Bannatyne Avenue in the centre of the wholesale district here, fire early to-day did damage which may reach \$150,000.

The stocks of Bright and Company, wholesale crockery, and of Mackenzie's, a commission merchant, valued at \$150,000, suffered the heaviest losses. Of undetermined origin, the fire quickly spread to the fourth floor, from the windows of which flames and huge clouds of smoke belched. On the first and second floors, smoke and water caused great damage.

## HALF OF JAPAN TOWN IS SWEEP AWAY BY FLOOD

Four Hundred Persons Reported to Have Perished When Great Reservoir in Northern Part of the Kingdom Burst Its Banks and Water Carried Away Buildings in Town of Kitsura; Postoffice, Bank and Theatre Destroyed.

Tokio, May 26.—The Mayama Irregato reservoir, in the Akita prefecture of Northern Japan, burst its banks and swept away half of the town of Kitsura. A semi-official report received here says 400 persons are believed to have been killed.

Reports say the postoffice, a bank and a theatre were among the buildings carried away. The town has a population of 7,000.

## BELIEVED BIG SUMS ARE DUE TREASURY TO FRENCH FORCES

Auditors Make Report to Riffian Chieftain Frees All Spanish, French and Native Prisoners

Ottawa, May 26.—The possibility that the Canadian Treasury has been defrauded of more than \$1,000,000 through non-payment of excise on liquor was raised in an interim report submitted to the Commons customs inquiry committee this forenoon by its auditors.

The report, signed by Clarkson, Gordon & Dilworth, dealt with liquor transactions carried on over a period of seven years by the George companies in Canada. These companies, a number of companies of which the shareholders are practically the same, and the auditors found their books and records were incomplete, mutilated and recopied until "they do not reflect the complete transactions of the company."

Liquor sales totaling \$7,622,000 were reviewed by the auditors. Their report drew particular attention to the sale by the Dominion Distillery Products Company of 32,000 proof gallons of denatured spirits, which were designed for export, but were shipped to a company in Canada. Alcohol, denatured under the Canada Excise Act, is forbidden entry into the United States because it is said to be easily rendered potable.

### LARGE SUM INVOLVED

Commenting that the sale of this alcohol "had been most irregular," the auditors added: "If the spirits were sold in Canada for beverage purposes there would appear to be no doubt excise duty should be collected." At \$9 a gallon the excise on that quantity of liquor would be \$763,494. In another place the report recalled the investigation into the voyage of the Frank H. which brought a cargo of liquor from St. Pierre, Miquelon, to Canada for export by way of Vancouver to Yokohama, Japan. It was insured only as far as Walkerville, Ontario, and the consignee in Yokohama, G. K. Kober, bears the same name as a shipper for the Dominion Distillers.

### TO SERVE SENTENCE

P. A. Robb of Peace River Federal Constituency Loses His Appeal

Edmonton, May 26.—Following an all-day hearing by counsel for both sides, the appellate division of the Supreme court of Alberta yesterday came to a speedy decision and threw out the appeal of P. A. (Baldy) Robb, who was sentenced to five years on each of three counts of fraudulent practice while acting deputy as returning officer at the Brule Poll in the Peace River constituency during the last Federal general election last October. The judges found, however, that the sentence of five years on the first two counts in the indictment—destroying ballot papers and "stuffing" the ballot box—was excessive, but allowed the sentence of five years on the third charge, that of fraudulently installing ballot papers, papers capable of being used as ballot papers, to stand. The result, as far as the courts are concerned, is that Robb will serve the sentence of five years, as Mr. Justice Walsh ordered that the sentences were to run concurrently.

### INCREASED PROTECTION FOR OUT-PORTS OF INDUSTRIES IN CANADA IS ASKED

Ottawa, May 26.—Steel industries, asking for increased protection and for the removal of the tariff drawbacks enjoyed by the automobile industry, appeared before the Tariff Advisory Board here this morning at its first public hearing.

The Algoma Steel Company and the British Empire Steel Corporation both made submissions.

The former made the following statement: "We believe it is acknowledged the automobile industry is adequately protected under the present tariff, and there is therefore no justification for allowing spring steel or axle steel bars for autos to be imported from foreign sources into Canada under a duty of ninety-nine per cent of the duty. This proposed change would still allow these articles to come in under the drawback of ninety-nine per cent, when used in the manufacture of all implements of agriculture."

### LARGE IMPORTS

"In all probability when the original tariff item Number 1007 was placed in the customs tariff, ninety-nine per cent rebate, the manufactured automobiles was in its initial state and had not grown to the present large capacity, but the result of the items still being unchanged makes it possible for very considerable quantities of this material to be imported by automobile manufacturers from foreign sources on a free basis. This we feel is unjust and unnecessary, more especially as indicated above, when the automobile industry has a favorable protection and the Canadian steel trade is seeking business."

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## PRISON INQUIRY AT JOLIET, ILLINOIS

Warden J. L. Whitman Denies Responsibility For Lax Conditions Discovered

Joliet, Ill., May 25.—Warden John J. Whitman, blamed by Governor Len Small for lax conditions at the state prison here, will go before the grand jury, having indicated he expects to give information not yet revealed to the jury. He intimated he expected to substantiate previous testimony he had given to the effect that his hands were tied at the prison by his superior officers.

Governor Small, in a statement read yesterday before the grand jury investigating prison conditions, following the murder of a deputy warden and the escape of seven prisoners, blamed the warden for lax prison discipline, although he said he believed the warden was sincere in his efforts at prison reform.

The Governor intimated the removal of the warden might be one of the results of the investigation, but said he would take no action pending the report of the grand jury.

**DENIAL BY WARDEN**

Previously Will Colvin, head of the state department of pardons and paroles, and Chauncey Jenkins, head of the department of public welfare, had also blamed Warden Whitman for conditions at the prison, and Warden Whitman had replied before the grand jury here and before the special crime grand jury in Chicago and denied he was responsible, insisting his hands had been tied by those over him.

Governor Small in his testimony defended his pardon record, shouldering full responsibility for the pardon he had issued and asserting only two governors since 1889 had issued fewer pardons. He minimized reports that prisoners had asserted they could get out of prison if they had enough money, and said they probably referred to the fact that they might win freedom if they had the money to employ able lawyers and obtain the support of influential newspapers.

## CASSIDY CROWNED ITS QUEEN OF MAY

Granby Mine Employees Had Jolly Celebration and Parade

Cassidy, May 25.—Friday saw the first of what promises to be the chief annual holiday of the Granby Colliery employees, in the crowning of Miss Grace, the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mainwaring, as Queen of the May. The day's programme commenced with races, etc., for the children under the excellent supervision of the trustees, assisted by A. Maclean, upon the conclusion of which the parade was held. Formed up in front of the hotel it was led off through the streets of Cassidy by the Granby Colliery band after the following order: Band, then in gaily decorated cars the committee, the May Queen, accompanied by the chaperone, Mrs. William Grady and the page, Master Alan Buchanan; the floats of honor, the Misses Marguerite Corbett, Doris Bastian and Florence Strachan.

Following these were several other floats, many decorated by local residents. Noticeable among these was a car bearing the placard, "Granby Football Club, Hunt Cup Winners, 1927," indicating a consummation devoutly to be wished. After these were two floats leading a goat much to the delight of the kiddies present and to quite a few grown-ups. These were followed by a bicycle and three tricycles, all very well decorated, ridden by Masters George Radu, Alex Meek, Jimmy Wren and Roderick Vallance, to whom special prizes were awarded. And, of course, the fire wagon had to be there drawn by some of the Granby huskies.

On arrival at the bandstand, the Queen and her court alighted from their motor and proceeded to the throne where Robert Henderson, the genial resident manager, introduced the Queen. On the conclusion of his address, the Queen, who had graciously crowned the Queen, wishing her during her reign every good thing that could be hers. The Queen was the recipient of a pretty solitaire ring from the school children, and a beautiful basket of flowers from the hand of little Margaret McLeod.

Upon the conclusion of the ceremony, Queen Grace, proceeded to give out the prizes to the winners of the afternoon sport. This done, a class of children, taught by Miss McRae, sang from the school children, and an excellent supper was served by Jack Stewart. In the evening a dance was held at which Her Majesty was an honored guest.

## Fingerprints Are To Decide Case

Vancouver, May 25.—Fingerprints are expected to clear up a strange angle that has developed in the case of John L. Ward, arraigned before Magistrate H. C. Shaw in police court here yesterday on a statutory charge. Evidence of a youth was denied by Ward and when the accused was asked by Major W. McKay, city prosecutor, if he had not a record on a similar charge in Regina in 1921, Ward denied the allegation and stated it was his twin brother. The case was remanded for one week in order that fingerprints of the man convicted in Regina may be compared with those of the accused.

## Death Sentence Is Given in Cairo

Cairo, May 24.—Mohammed Ali was sentenced to death and six others were acquitted on the completion yesterday of the trials growing out of the series of political crimes which culminated in the assassination of Mail-General Sir Lee Stack, Sirdar.

## MCGILL DEGREES WON BY VICTORIANS

C. Sivertz Becomes Doctor of Philosophy; Other Successes Are Announced

Montreal, May 26.—Three hundred and sixty-three degrees will be conferred by McGill University at the annual convocation on Friday. Degrees to be awarded include:

Doctor of Philosophy—C. Sivertz, Victoria.

Master of Arts—H. L. Smith, Victoria.

Master of Science—B. P. Sutherland, Vancouver, and J. G. P. S. Clelland, Penticton.

Bachelor of Science—in chemical engineering, E. H. Lushy, New Westminster; in civil engineering, J. H. Hinchliffe, Victoria; in electrical engineering, K. Reid, Metchoan; in mining engineering, H. T. Airey, Nelson.

In the faculty of medicine, Western students were granted the following degrees:

Doctor of Medicine, Master of Surgery—H. H. Boucher, Chilliwack; N. D. Hall, Nanaimo; J. S. Anderson, Chilliwack; Anita Cecelia MacDonald, New Westminster; A. B. Manson, Vancouver; A. B. Nash, Victoria; E. Proctor, Vancouver; and C. W. Silk, Lytton, B.C.

Doctor of Dental Surgery (D.D.S.)—O. E. Jerome, Vancouver.

John Russell, Vancouver, has been awarded the Governor-General's Silver Medal for the best research work carried on at McGill University during the 1925-26 term.

## PROHIBITION PLAN DIVIDES PARTIES

Utilization of State Officers as Agents Warmly Debated in United States

Washington, May 26.—Amid the growing uproar over President Coolidge's order authorizing the state and municipal officials to act as federal prohibition agents, the White House has defended the action, and the Senate has unanimously directed its judiciary committee to investigate its legality.

There are outstanding developments in the latest prohibition controversy, which also extended to the House of Representatives, where Representative C. C. Curran, Republican, California, yesterday denounced the order in a fiery speech and Representative Hill, Republican, Maryland, a leader of the wets, offered a resolution which would have the effect of nullifying the President's action.

An informal but official White House pronouncement was that the President felt he had no choice, exceeded his authority nor invaded state rights, but was ready to modify his order should its operation lead to harmful consequences. The Senate resolution of inquiry, sponsored by Senator King, Democrat, Utah, was adopted after a prohibition field day, during which the legality of the order was defended in the Senate for the first time and by a Democratic, Walsh of Montana, an ardent dry and in the past a frequent critic of the administration.

**WITHOUT RECORD VOTE**

There was no discussion on the resolution itself, which went through without a record vote and with no opposition after it had been amended by Senator Bingham, Republican, Connecticut, to set forth that the inquiry would be "to enable the Senate to determine whether legislation is advisable or necessary."

Denouncing the order in the House, Representative Curry declared it was "unconstitutional, unjust, vicious, wrong and contrary to the fundamental principles of American government." He also said the people of California would like it better if the treasury, instead of first applying the order to their state, would apply it in New York or the President's own state, Massachusetts.

## Man Killed Wife; Ended Own Life

Bremerton, Wash., May 26.—Authorities here express the belief that Floyd Frone, a machinist employed in the Puget Sound Navy Yard here, shot and killed his wife in their cabin near Charleston, south of Bremerton, and then likewise disposed of himself. The two bodies were found with bullet holes in the heads.

Three small children were left parentless.

Frone and his wife had been separated. Frone absented himself from his work yesterday and visited the insurance agency here, inquiring about a policy he had.

A mill worker who notified the police of the killings was held.

## MARINE OFFICER ENDED LIFE

St. Thomas, Virgin Islands, May 26.—Captain Werner, United States Marine Corps, in charge of the quartermaster's department here, committed suicide yesterday.

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### Chemainus

**Special to The Times**  
Chemainus, May 26.—An interesting Girl Guide Empire Day service was held in St. Michael's Anglican Church Sunday in place of the usual service. The Guides paraded to the Church with their colors and while the latter were being received from the color party by the Rev. Bush Spurling, and again on the colors being returned at the end of the service the first verse of "O Canada" was sung.

An enjoyable American tournament was held on Chemainus Lawn Tennis Club courts Monday. Seven games were played in each match in order to even up the play some of the gentlemen acted in the capacity of ladies. The scores were as follows: Miss Jones and A. Howe, 52;

Mrs. Pritchard and H. N. Monk, 41; Capt. Groves and C. G. MacInnes, 38; Mrs. A. Jones and V. G. Pritchard, 34; G. Nicholls and K. Tweedie, 36; Mrs. Drury and A. Jones, 35; Mrs. Gibbs and B. Devill, 34; C. G. MacInnes and R. Gibbs, 24; J. Groves and T. Groves, 30; Mrs. D. Groves and H. E. Donald, 27; Mrs. Scott and D. Drury, 27. Those marked with a star played as ladies. The tea hostesses for the occasion was Mrs. P. W. Ankettell, who served a most delicious tea.

The sale of work held at Crofton by the sewing circle was a very great success. Proceeds amounted to \$128. The numerous stalls were all well patronized and goods were sold very quickly.

Amongst those who went from Chemainus to Victoria for the holiday were Mr. and Mrs. H. Dobinson, Miss Margaret Dobinson, Arthur

Stonier, W. Stubbs, Chris Medrick, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. P. Stubbs, Mr. and Mrs. Irving, P. Smith, Gordon Smith and Mr. Worthington. To Nanaimo Mr. and Mrs. Cowans, Donald Cowans, A. Jones, B. Jones, M. F. Halhed, L. Cary, the Misses Ella and Muriel Porter. To Shawnigan Col. F. T. Rivett-Carnac, and Mrs. Rivett-Carnac, Val Rivett-Carnac, Leslie Inglis, Douglas Cree and Mr. and Mrs. N. Bows-Scott.

### Duncan

**Special to The Times**  
Duncan, May 26.—The Cowichan Cricket Club were at home to the Nanaimo cricketers on Empire Day. A most interesting game resulted in a win for Cowichan by two wickets. For the winners Gravett 27, Scott, not out, 25, Corbishley, not out, 18, and Leggat, 13 were the top notchers, whilst for the losers Scott 62 and Brown 30 obtained 92 runs out of 114. The match was very well contested throughout and right up to the close when Scott made the winning hit, a six clean out of the ground, the issue was in doubt. The full scores follow:

Nanaimo  
Mowbray, run out ..... 0  
Hines, b Collison ..... 4  
Unsworth, lbw, b Collison ..... 6  
Eccles, c Leggat, b Baisa ..... 0  
Paul, lbw, b Collison ..... 0  
Scurr, b Green ..... 62  
Brown, run out ..... 30  
Burns, b Baisa ..... 5  
Hardy, b Collison ..... 0  
Kirkham, not out ..... 0  
Col. Hodding, hit wkt, b Baisa ..... 0  
Extras ..... 15  
Total ..... 116

Leggat, b Eccles ..... 13  
Green, b Burns ..... 9  
Collison, b Burns ..... 37  
Gravett, b Eccles ..... 27  
Baisa, c Scurr, b Eccles ..... 2  
Williams-Freeman, b Burns ..... 4  
Scott, not out ..... 25  
Dunlop, b Eccles ..... 0  
Charter, b Eccles ..... 0  
Corbishley, not out ..... 18  
Ansell, did not bat ..... 2  
Extras ..... 2  
Total ..... 117

### Shawnigan

**Special to The Times**  
Shawnigan Lake, May 26.—A pleasing function took place at the Shawnigan Lake Lumber Company's mill on Saturday afternoon, when J. L. Pelland, superintendent of the mill, was presented with a handsome gold watch with chain and fob attached by the employees of the mill. The occasion was the severing of his connection with the company after a term of five years' service.

G. E. Fidler, shipper, made the presentation, and on behalf of the men conveyed to Mr. Pelland their regrets at his leaving, stating that they had always found him just in his dealings with them, and they wished him to accept the watch as a token of their esteem and goodwill.

Success in his new venture, and would hold him in kindly remembrance. In reply Mr. Pelland said he was proud to receive the handsome watch and while he would value it very much, still he valued the sentiment

expressed. He thanked the men for their hearty co-operation during his term of office, and regretted very much leaving Shawnigan.

G. Thompson, late with the Vancouver Lumber Company, has been appointed superintendent of the Shawnigan Lake mill in place of J. L. Pelland, resigned.

A cottage owned by the Shawnigan Lake Lumber Company and occupied by W. McNeill was totally destroyed by its contents by fire at 6 o'clock Monday evening. No one was in the cottage at the time. McNeill was on duty at the mill and Mrs. McNeill in Victoria. Prompt action by the employees and friends confined the fire to the one cottage. The cottages are removed some distance from the mill proper.

## POLITICAL CRISIS IN NEWFOUNDLAND

Government Party in Legislature Reduced to Eighteen Against Eighteen Others

St. John's, Nfld., May 26.—Newfoundland to-day is in the throes of a political upheaval that was precipitated last week by the dismissal by Premier Monroe of two of his ministers on charges of "treachery" and progressed yesterday with the defection of three more Government supporters, who crossed to the opposition benches and left the membership of the House standing at eighteen. Government supporters, who crossed to the opposition benches and left the membership of the House standing at eighteen. Government supporters, who crossed to the opposition benches and left the membership of the House standing at eighteen.

## Wine Seized When Still Exploded

San Francisco, May 26.—Ten thousand gallons of wine, three large motor trucks, wine and brandy were sequestered by the explosion of a still in the basement of a hotel a block from the Hall of Justice and two blocks from dry headquarters here yesterday.

Police estimate the lot was worth \$75,000 in bootleg wine. The explosion shook plaster from the walls of the hotel and attracted officers to the underground winery.

### AUSTRALIAN FINANCING

Melbourne, May 26 (Canadian Press Cable via Reuters).—Strong disapproval by the Australian state Premiers of the Commonwealth Government's proposals for a solution of the present unsatisfactory financial arrangements with the states by which state and Federal finances would be separated as far as possible, was expressed at a conference of the Premiers yesterday.

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## HEALTHY VICTORIA

**VICTORIA'S HEALTH CONTINUES TO** improve. The report which Dr. Price presented to the City Council last night showed that only 337 cases of infectious diseases were recorded in 1925 as compared with 494 in the previous year and 1,177 cases in 1923. It was also revealed that the city's death rate from tuberculosis has improved in the last twelve months from 7.2 per cent. in 1924 to 6.6 in 1925. This latter improvement should be particularly noted for the reason that the climate of this community attracts many sufferers of the disease from other parts of the Province and Dominion, and this naturally increases the death rate proportionately, for by no means all rally and recover.

There is obviously much in the report for which the Health Officer of the city himself can take credit. His task is not of the simplest. Drilling health precautions into the minds of people who for the most part are well and happy—who only take an interest in sanitary regulations when they themselves are caught as a result of neglect—requires much persistence, persuasion, and reminders that the law is the law. As his report shows, however, Dr. Price seems to have been successful in his plea for co-operation and the result furnishes another piece of excellent advertising for this community.

## CONSERVATIVE UNREST

**JUDGING BY THE NEWSPAPER AGITA-** tion which is now going on in support of an early convention of provincial Conservatives all is not well in the ranks of the party.

The morning paper continues to plead for an early convention and unity. Mr. Davey recently asked an audience of supporters of the party in this city to sink their differences and co-operate. Mr. Despard Twigg went considerably farther than this a day or two afterwards and declared that new blood was necessary to the party—in fact he said new blood was necessary to both parties. He is hardly in a position, of course, to influence the composition of the party in power; but we presume that way of putting it was merely to soften the point of the shaft he fired into the meeting he was addressing. His views on the subject of leadership are generally understood.

In this connection a writer in The Vancouver Daily Province, who signs himself "Conservative," is obviously annoyed about the present state of affairs; for he says conditions as they stand are "not fair to Mr. Pooley or to anyone else," and "it is very disastrous to the welfare of the party as a whole." This same correspondent likewise points out that "no party was ever successful or got anywhere which was content to slumber away in the sunshine without a leader and an aggressive policy."

While the shades of opposition could hardly be called comfortable, there is evidence in this Conservative's letter of a form of impatience near the breaking point. Surely the aspirants for the leadership, in and out of the House, should get together and decide who is to get the plum. Mr. Bowser would probably consent to be referee of the free-for-all.

## THE PULITZER PRIZE

**CONSIDERABLE ATTENTION HAS** been attracted to itself by an American newspaper known as The Columbus (Georgia) Enquirer-Sun by reason of its winning the Pulitzer prize for having rendered "the most disinterested and meritorious service" during the last year. This is one of the annual prizes which the founder of The New York World provided for, an award, by the way, which has been won on several occasions by great American dailies of international repute; but this appears to be almost the first time that a comparatively obscure journal has won the coveted honor.

The judges selected the Columbus paper for the prize because of its persistent attacks upon the Ku Klux Klan and all its works in the state in which it originated. It has scorned the order and held it up to ridicule whenever the occasion appeared to warrant such treatment. It has taken no account of the very powerful political and social influence which the Klan wields there, while it has discussed southern prejudices, of which the order, of course, has been the mouthpiece, in the frankest possible manner. Ever ready to go to the defence of the negro when he seemed to be the victim of injustice, one of its recent campaigns was against a proposal to forbid by law the serving of white men by black barbers.

While the policies which the editor of The Enquirer-Sun has pursued have been marked by commendable courage, and therefore have been developed without regard for consequences either to himself or to his property, it is worth noting, in view of the distinction which has been conferred upon him, that his bold course has increased his prosperity. He is, moreover, a southerner himself and thus in a particularly favorable position to offer his criticism.

## AN OLD FEUD BREAKS OUT AGAIN

**ONCE AGAIN ARE THE RELATIONS** between Lord Oxford and Asquith and Mr. Lloyd George acutely strained. The Liberal leader has written to the war-time Premier to the effect that he was disrespectful to the organization when he refused to attend a family gathering to discuss the strike. Mr. Lloyd George has also offended his chief by writing somewhat pessimistically about the strike to the American press. Quarters hostile to the Welshman are suggesting that little is left to him but to resign from leadership in the House. The Morning Post would naturally hang, draw, and quarter him. Mr. Lloyd George thinks Lord Oxford and Asquith's letter was unnecessary and provocative. The Daily News says the Liberals are concerned over greater matters than those Lord Oxford has raised and if "squabbling leaders" are unable to rise above such things the party will find a way to make its will effective.

This is a recurrence of the old split of 1916. The general public in Great Britain was led to believe that a reconciliation had taken place between Lord Oxford and Mr. Lloyd George in 1923; but those in close touch with the inner workings of the party were under no delusion. The pleasanties in which the party leader's versatile spouse indulged in, her appearance on the same platform with Mr. Lloyd George, were regarded as theatrical transparencies. They took few in. The fact of the matter is Lord Oxford is getting on in years. He has not the vigor for leadership. His outlook has not changed with the changing times. Whether Mr. Lloyd George is too uncertain, too inclined to the spectacular, too ready to trim his sail to every favorable political wind that blows, is a matter the Liberal Party will no doubt soon find out. As The Daily News says, "it will find a way to make its will effective."

## B.C.'S YOUTH DOING WELL

**IT IS INTERESTING TO LEARN THAT A** Revelstoke girl won the first prize offered by Hon. James W. Gerard, former United States Ambassador to Germany, for the best essay on the "Friendship of Great Britain, Canada, and the United States"—a contest open to the boys and girls of this Dominion.

This is not only a credit to the young lady herself and the city in which she lives; it speaks well for the quality of the instruction which she has received in her school, and this in turn is complimentary to the educational system of this Province.

Victoria will also feel gratified over the results recently issued from McGill. Among those who have excelled at this world-renowned seat of learning are students from this city who bid fair to make names for themselves in the professions and in the realm of science.

## WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

### TIMES HAVE CHANGED

From The Princeton Star

The time was when employment on a government road gang was used as a reward for political fidelity and such a job was looked upon as a sinecure. Times have changed and the public are now looking for value for their money. The loser is finding it more and more difficult to hold a place in the public service and foremen and others in charge of public work, in their own interests, are looking for men who can and are willing to "hit the ball."

### A COMMON NEED

From The Hamilton Spectator

There are cheering evidences of a deepening of the national spirit in Canada, in spite of the exigencies of a government occupying the most precarious position in the parliamentary history of the country. We here in Hamilton have had the visit of Mr. Forke, the leader of the Progressive party, and listened to his earnest plea for interprovincial co-operation. That plea has not fallen on deaf ears, but has met with a sincere response from the East. The desire for a more sympathetic relationship, mutually advantageous, between the various sections of Canada is undoubtedly gaining in strength, and is assuming a practical form. The ideal is taking definite shape and expressing itself in action as well as word. The plan for an interchange of speakers of the provinces—messengers of good will to interpret the viewpoint of their fellow-citizens and, in return, carry back with them a better and more sympathetic understanding of the problems of the people with whom they visit—is having an excellent effect. The influence of these gatherings extends far beyond the halls in which they are held; the press carries the gospel of national unity and interprovincial co-operation into the homes, and so throughout the length and breadth of the Dominion creates that broader mentality which is essential for the successful realization of the vision.

### TEAM-PLAY FOR CANADA

From The Toronto Globe

"Such a sentiment—such a spirit—causes me to feel, not that I am a President of a great national enterprise; not at all; but that I am the friend and the colleague of all, working together to achieve a common purpose—to make a success of the undertaking in which we are engaged, and to serve loyally and efficiently the people of Canada."

With these words Sir Henry Thornton last evening concluded his brief address to the seven hundred men and women comprising the members of the Toronto district branch of the Canadian National Railways Association and their families, assembled in a social gathering on an anniversary occasion. The warm spontaneous cheering in which they had greeted their "Chief" was repeated and intensified as he thus ended his five-minute talk.

In his message and in the manner in which it was received, much of the secret of the gradually growing success of Canada's great public ownership enterprise. Sir Henry has realized the tremendous power of the human element in big business. He believes that the heart must be put into the head in industrial achievement—that officers and employees must be comrades, "working together to achieve a common purpose."

And the remarkable intensity with which those seven hundred "fellow-workers" responded to the sentiment and to the spirit of their "friend and colleague" augurs well for the eventual success of the national undertaking in which they have wholeheartedly and enthusiastically committed their energies and abilities. Last night's assemblage furnished an inspiring commentary on the future of the People's Railways.

## WATER PRESSURE IS MUCH GREATER THAN SAANICH USES

City Engineer Preston Counters Complaints With Test Data

City Engineer F. M. Preston last night informed the City Council that much heavier water pressure is available at the Saanich intakes than is being utilized by Saanich.

Tests made by the city engineer give the following pressures: Duplicin Road intake, city side of valve 136 lb.; Saanich side 110 lb.; Wilkenson Road, city side, 122 lb.; Saanich side, 94 lb.; Albina Street, city side 137 lb.; Saanich side, no gauge.

A second connection between the Goldstream and Sooke water systems will be installed by the city. The council last night authorized expenditure of \$1,500 for an additional 12-inch connection, to be charged to waterworks account.

**FLOAT TO VANCOUVER**  
The Victoria City float will be sent to Vancouver's Dominion Day celebration, the City Council last night voting \$100 for the purpose. Queen Kathleen will also visit the Pacific City as a representative of Victoria, the aldermen were assured.

## Do You Mean What You Say?

The Register and Tribune Syndicate, Des Moines



SPOUTING

The word "spouting," commonly accepted as meaning the flowing of water, became a term of abuse through the similarity of the constant flow of talk and the flow of water from a pump. One talking steadily and vigorously, therefore, is said to be "spouting."



Victoria, May 26.—5 a.m.—The barometer remains stationary over this Province and the weather is generally calm. Protests have occurred in Alberta and Southern Saskatchewan.

**Reports**  
Victoria—Barometer, 29.52; temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles W.; rain, trace; weather, cloudy.  
Vancouver—Barometer, 29.54; temperature, maximum yesterday, 56; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles S.W.; rain, .02; weather, raining.  
Kamloops—Barometer, 29.52; temperature, maximum yesterday, 70; minimum, 48; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.  
Barkerville—Barometer, 29.76; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 32; wind, calm; rain, .04; weather, raining.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.52; temperature, maximum yesterday, 60; minimum, 38; wind, calm; rain, .05; weather, fair.  
Estevan Point—Barometer, 29.50; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 44; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .48; weather, raining.  
Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.52; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 40; wind, 12 miles S.; rain, .18; weather, cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 29.56; temperature, maximum yesterday, 70; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles S.; rain, trace; weather, raining.  
Seattle—Barometer, 29.56; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 50; wind, 10 miles S.E.; rain, .01; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.58; temperature, maximum yesterday, 66; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.  
Penikese—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 71; rain, .03.  
Grand Port—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; rain, .05.  
Swift Current—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 52; minimum, 42; rain, trace.

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	52	40
Vancouver	56	50
Nelson	62	48
Medicine Hat	68	46
Calgary	62	42
Edmonton	62	42
Regina	71	52
Qu'Appelle	69	49
Nocow Jaw	68	48
Winnipeg	70	48
Toronto	66	44
Ottawa	66	44
Montreal	54	42
St. John	52	42
Halifax	50	42

## Canadian Questions and Answers

### RAILWAY EXECUTIVES ON CANADA

Q.—What is the opinion of the chief railway executives on Canada?  
A.—E. W. Beatty, president of the C.P.R., recently said: "It will probably come to be seen that for the past two or three years we have been erecting a foundation for our future economic growth. Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, says: 'Canada is on the threshold of great prosperity.'"

### CANADA'S FIRE LOSS

Q.—What is Canada's fire loss at present?  
A.—Canada's fire loss for the year 1925 was \$40,712,172. There were 21,757 fires during the year, the chief

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being a loss of \$1,400,000 in a lumber yard. This total loss means a per capita loss of \$4.3 as compared with \$50 in Great Britain. 274 deaths were caused by fire last year and 2,713 severe injuries.

## FUNERAL THURSDAY



The late John A. Wright, popular athlete, who passed away Monday, will be laid at rest on Thursday, following services at the B.C. Funeral Chapel at 2.30 p.m.

## CHARTER OF LOCAL CHINESE CLUB IS ORDERED REVOKED

Carrying on their drive against gambling clubs at various points in the Province, officials of the Attorney-General's Department announced today the cancellation of the charter of the Cormanor Club of Victoria, an alleged gambling resort.

The club is operated by Chinese in Chinatown here and its abolition was recommended to the Government by the city police authorities. This cancellation follows similar action in the case of two other clubs where gambling, it was alleged, had been carried on.

## SOFT-BALL

With their outfit going at top speed, the Y.M.C.A. team took the lead in the softball league. Last night both the "A" teams and "B" teams put over victories. The "A" nine beat out the Navy 26-15, their second win in as many tries.

Foul Bay also took another win doubling the score on Esquimalt 15-10. These were the only two games in section A.

In "B" section the Hudson's Bay fell before the hard sweating Andromeda 25-10.

Bryant's Bluebirds were successful against the Bapco, coming out on the long end of a 17-12 score.

The Canium Tigers had a margin of ten runs over the Harris & Smith aggregation at the finish of play. They have a win and a loss now.

The game between the Tillamook and the Sons of Canada in the "C" division proved the closest of the evening. After a hard pull the clubmen nosed out the Canucks by a score of 10-9.

Little difficulty was experienced by the heavy hitting Normal School outfit against Lemon & Gossman and they were easy winners 23-8. This puts the school and the Tillamook on even terms in the league standing.

Wilson Brothers couldn't fathom the tricks of the Y.M.C.A. "B" nine and went down to a 23-14 defeat. This is the "Y's" first appearance in the league this season and they have made an auspicious start.

Next week's draw follows:  
Section "A"—Onwegas vs. Y. M. C. A., Central Park; Esquimalt vs. Hillcrest, at Macaulay Point; Foul Bay vs. NAVY, at Foul Bay.  
Section "B"—Harris & Smith vs. Andromeda, at Beacon Hill; Bryant's Bluebirds vs. Hudson's Bay, at Central Park; Bapco vs. Canium Tigers at Victoria West Park.

Section "C"—Pimley & Ritchie vs. Sons of England, at Beacon Hill; Lemon-Gossman, at Normal School; Normal School, a bye.

The home team mentioned first in each case.

## PARTY DIFFERENCES AIRED IN PRESS

Lord Oxford Censures Lloyd George's Attitude During Strike in Britain

Public Wants to See if Lloyd George Will Resign Chairmanship of M.P.'s

London, May 26.—A political sensation has been created by the publication in the newspapers to-day of a letter from the Earl of Oxford and Asquith to former Premier Lloyd George, strongly censuring Mr. Lloyd George's attitude during the recent general strike in Great Britain, and Mr. Lloyd George's vigorous reply, in which he characterizes Lord Oxford's letter as "a provocative document."

Political gossip of recent days had indicated there was considerable tension between Lord Oxford, who is leader of the Liberal party, and Mr. Lloyd George, the party's parliamentary chairman in the House of Commons.

## OLD FEUD

In quarters where it is maintained Lord Oxford has never forgiven Lloyd George for ousting him from the premiership in 1916 and his attitude on the Liberal party, and the incident is regarded as the culmination of a feud then started.

In these quarters, Lord Oxford's letter is interpreted as meaning that either Lloyd George must resign the parliamentary leadership of the Liberal Party, or that Lord Oxford and Viscount Grey, Sir John Simon and other prominent Liberals who are in agreement with the stand of Lord Oxford will cut loose from the Liberal Party.

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Friends of Mr. Lloyd George contend he is not answerable to Lord Oxford, but to the Liberal members of the House of Commons, who elected him their chairman, and they say his attitude on the Liberal party was taken only after he had consulted them.

Another view of the incident is that it is a counter-offensive of the followers of Lord Oxford to Mr. Lloyd George's alleged advances toward the Laborites, advances which, according to many reports, the Laborites do not welcome.

The question to which the general public is now awaiting an answer is: Will Lloyd George resign the chairmanship of the Liberal party, or will he make a political speech at Llandudno, Wales, to-night, in which he is expected to touch upon the situation.

## NEWSPAPER COMMENTS

The Liberals seem to be divided in their attitude toward the two leaders. This is evident in the comments of the Liberal newspapers. The Westminster Gazette censures Lloyd George, and The Daily Chronicle scores Lord Oxford and "others less wise" who, it says, prompted him to write Lloyd George.

The Daily News, which shows disapproval of Lord Oxford's attitude, says the Liberals are concerned over greater matters than the quarrel between the two leaders, and that "squabbling leaders" are unable to rise above such things the party will find a way to make its will effective.

## OXFORD'S LETTER

In his letter to Lloyd George, Lord Oxford said:

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had to confront in your time or mine."

After a long explanation in justification of the policy adopted by himself, Viscount Grey and Sir John Simon, other prominent Liberals, toward the strike, Lord Oxford alluded to Lloyd George's refusal to attend the meeting of the Liberal leaders held on May 19 to discuss the policy of the party with relation to the strike.

"I regard this as a grave matter," the letter continued. "We had reached a most critical moment of the strike, when it was the primary duty of all responsible for the Liberal policy, and certainly of the chairman of the parliamentary party in the House of Commons (Lloyd George) to meet together for full and free discussion. Your refusal to do so is I find impossible to reconcile with my conception of the obligations of political comradeship."

## TIME TO THINK

Mr. Lloyd George sent a brief answer immediately, saying:

"I appreciate fully the gravity of the unprecedented letter you have written me. My decision must affect seriously the fortunes of our party, and add to its distractions, I propose to take two or three days' consideration and consult before I reply."

Accordingly three days later Mr. Lloyd George sent Lord Oxford a very long reply, going into much detail as justification for his attitude. Declaring there was no discourtesy to Lord Oxford in his refusal to attend the party meeting, he said: "My failure to attend hardly justified so provocative a document as you have addressed to one of your colleagues."

## POSTS VIEWS

The London Morning Post, under the caption, "Has Discovered It," says that Lloyd George had confined his general strike to his own countrymen, the offence still would have been grave, but it might have been forgiven, but Englishmen are less ready to excuse "words of national treachery when spoken into foreign ears."

The Post adds that there has always been something in Lloyd George's political nature which has prompted him to take the worse part and to side with lawlessness against law and to encourage envy and class feeling among the people.

## DUANE WINS ON FOUL

New York, May 26.—Carl Duane, New York featherweight, won on a foul from Joe Glick of Brooklyn in the sixth round of a ten-round bout at the Queensboro Stadium last night. Glick had been warned several times for hitting low before Referee O'Sullivan stopped the bout.

Only 800 scientists on this continent are engaged in purely scientific research, while 10,000 scientists are working at applied science with commercial concerns.

A botanist in the Smithsonian Institution has collected 1,800 orchid specimens in Central America.

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Sweet Pickle Picnic Hams, per lb. . . . .23¢  
Smoked Cottage Roll, per lb. . . . .33¢  
Sweet Pickle Cottage Roll, per lb. . . . .48¢  
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Do the elaborate and painstaking details of to-day's screen productions really show in to-day's picture programmes?

"This is the question asked by Lionel Barrymore, veteran screen and stage favorite, playing the role of the villainous Stark Bennett in "The Barrier," the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer photoplay from the famous Rex Beach novel of the same name, now showing at the Dominion Theatre.

Barrymore contends that in the "good old days" pictures made "far more hurriedly and far less carefully" were just as good from the audience's viewpoint as the elaborate productions of to-day. That is, he stipulates, some types of pictures.

"A picture like "The Barrier" cannot be too carefully made, as it has sea scenes, an iceberg jam and other details that require the utmost care," said Barrymore, "but in the matter of modern society dramas and such plays with no special scenic necessities I think that so far as audiences are concerned little has been gained by modern methods.

"We used to pound away and

knock out a picture in no time and a great deal more was then left to the ingenuity of the director. And the films we made were great pictures. To-day the business is stabilized, more care is taken, but the public does not know it.

"Of course the old days saw a gamble in every picture. We never knew whether a film would succeed or not, while to-day scientific study has made it possible to achieve a greater number of certain successes."

**MOST ACTRESSES  
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An actress can do her best work only when she is established at one studio, and does not have to worry over financial matters.

At least, this is what Norma Shearer believes, and she ought to know, for she has free-lanced, and is now under contract as a Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer star.

"Most actresses are not business women," declared Miss Shearer, "and cannot stand the strain of looking for work and filling an engagement simultaneously. Their minds are taken up with financial matters when they should be concentrated upon their roles.

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See the little tramp, a disappointed prospector, amble into the dance-hall, seeking, searching for a little companionship—surrounded by the merry makers, but with never a sign of welcome from anyone. Then left alone while the crowd of lucky ones go on with the dance.

Until a smile from "the girl" seems to kindle a spark, and as he steps forward to the greeting—finds that it is for someone else.

This, and many other little touches of life's ironies is what makes "The Gold Rush" the great picture it has been acclaimed by press and public.

**"STUDENT PRINCE"  
NEXT MONDAY AT  
ROYAL THEATRE**

The Messrs. Schubert's "The Student Prince," which is the largest musical organization traveling, its personnel numbering over one hundred people, will be the attraction at the Royal for three nights, beginning next Monday.

It has been termed the worthy successor of "Blossom Time," and its popularity has been so tremendous that nine companies have been presenting the operetta in different parts of the States this season. The music of "The Student Prince" was composed by Sigmund Romberg, who is also responsible for the score of "Blossom Time."

The company will be headed by Howard Marsh and Ilse Marvenga, who created the roles they will be seen in here, and who played them for over sixteen months in New York City. Others in the cast are Bertram Peacock, the original Franz Schubert of "Blossom Time"; Margaret Cantrell, Thirion Forgen, Albert Froom and Alec Harford, both of London, England.

"The Student Prince" is mid-Victorian in setting. Its action takes place in 1869, and recites the story of the love of a Prince for one more lowly born.

There will be a special matinee on Wednesday, and the seat sale will open at the box office of the Royal on Friday.

**DEMPSEY'S MAN TOO FAST**

Merced, Cal., May 26—Robert Gates, chauffeur for Jack Dempsey, charged with heavy-weight prizefighting, was convicted of reckless driving by a jury in the Madera Court yesterday and was sentenced to a fine of \$50 or five days in jail. He paid the fine.

Dempsey and his chauffeur were arrested March 25 by a traffic officer who said they were driving in excess of seventy miles an hour on a state highway.

A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Dempsey, who failed to appear for trial yesterday. The fighter will be arrested if he returns to California.

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Special to The Times

Luxton, May 26.—May 24 was celebrated in the Luxton district by the holding of a "shingling bee," when a considerable number turned out to shingle the walls of the Reformed Episcopal Church. Present were the Rev. de B. Owen and his Bible class and Mr. and Mrs. Raper and their two daughters, from Victoria; Messrs. Brown and Field, Ketchikan; Messrs. Eastman, Weber, Ruddle, Batchelor and Stephenson of Happy Valley, and the Ladies Aid, who between the work of preparing and serving lunch and supper to the rest of the workers, helped with the shingling very materially themselves. With the combined efforts of the workers, half of the work was accomplished and another bee will be organized at a later date to finish the work. Bishop Browning donated \$50 towards the cost of the shingling, and the C.P.S. Lumber and Timber Company is supplying the lumber and shingles needed to complete the work for that amount.

The Rev. de B. Owen cordially thanked all the helpers and stated that as he was going East shortly to attend the Synod he would have a very favorable report to make to the bishop with regard to the mission.

Service is held each Sunday in the church at 3 p.m., church service three times a month, and mission services once a month.

More voluntary work in this district has resulted in the roof of the Luxton Hall being repaired, which was found to be leaking. Mr. Legge and Mr. Brice giving their services and doing the work necessary to make a water-tight roof.

## Honolulu Scene of Rotary Event

Honolulu, May 26.—The Pacific International Rotary Conference began a three-day session here yesterday by devoting the opening session to clearing the stage of preliminaries and discussing technical matters of organization and policy.

A "model Rotary Club luncheon" was a feature of the programme, marked by the presentation of an Australian flag to the Honolulu Rotary Club by the delegation from the Antipodes.

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## BEDTIME STORY

### Uncle Wiggily and the May Snow

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By HOWARD R. GARIS

The Lady Mouse Teacher in the Hollow Stump School was very tired. She had been hearing lessons all day, about how many times two went into ten, and how to spell dog and cat, and now, at the end of all the classes, she was tired.

"School is out!" squeaked the Lady Mouse wearily. "The black board needs cleaning of the chalk marks on it, so we shall be ready to start fresh in the morning. But I am not going to ask any of the little boy animals to stay in after school to erase the board," went on the Lady Mouse. "No, I am not going to ask them, but if any one or two of you boys want to stay and clean the board, I shall be very happy."

Then the Lady Mouse, whose head ached, went home to rest, and out of the Hollow Stump School ran all animal boys and girls, whistling, singing, laughing and shouting.

"I don't want to stay in and clean blackboards!" barked Jackie. "Bow Wow. I want to go swimming!"

"So do I!" whined his brother Peetle.

"I'm not going to brush off the chalk marks, either," mewed Tommie Kat. "I'm going to play ball!"

"And I'm going to dig up some nuts I buried last Fall," chattered Johnnie Bushytail, the squirrel. So none of the animal boys stayed after school to clean the blackboard. And as the Lady Mouse Teacher had not asked any of the girls, they didn't think about it.

So the blackboard in the Hollow Stump School remained all covered with old chalk marks.

Jackie and Peetle Bow Wow went swimming down in the brook by the duck pond ocean. There they met Bully and Bawly Nottail, the frog boys, and they had a grand, splashing time together.

"I thought you would stay in and clean the chalk off the blackboard," croaked Bully to Peetle.

"And I thought you would," barked the doggie boy.

"I guess nobody stayed in," whined Jackie, and then, after they had played and while in the water, Bawly croaked:

"Say, fellows, the Lady Mouse Teacher is always good to us. What you think we'd better go back now and clean the board for her?"

"Yes, I guess we had," agreed Jackie. "I whispered in class to-day, and she didn't keep me in." So the dog and frog boys hurried back to the Hollow Stump School.

About the same time, Tommie Kat, who was playing ball with Charlie Chick, and Toodle and Noodle Flat Tail, the beavers, mewed:

"Say, fellows! The Lady Mouse Teacher is always good to us. What

say we go back and clean off the board for her?"

"Let's go!" crowed Charlie the rooster boy. "We've had enough of playing ball!" So these boys ran toward the Hollow Stump School.

And about the same time Johnnie Bushytail, who, with his brother Billie was eating nuts, chattered:

"Say, Billie, let's go clean off the blackboard!"

"All right!" agreed Billie, and away they scampered.

So it happened that the crowd of boys all came together near the school, and each crowd was surprised at the other.

"It won't take us long to clean the board. There's so many of us," barked Jackie Bow Wow.

Then, all of a sudden, as they looked toward the school, they saw around it a cloud of white dust or flakes.

"Oh, it's snowing! It's snowing in May!" cried the flowers as they blossomed!" crowed Charlie. "Who ever saw it snow in May!" None of the animal boys had, and they were beginning to feel a bit strange about it, when, all of a sudden, Uncle Wiggily hopped out of the school his coat covered with chalk dust.

"Did you see the May snow?" barked Peetle.

"That wasn't snow!" laughed the rabbit gentleman. "That was the chalk dust from the blackboard I was cleaning. I knocked the erasers on the window sills to dust them. May snow! Ha! Ha! Ha! It was blackboard chalk dust!" And when the boys looked in, the blackboard was all cleaned ready for next day.

The Lady Mouse heard what had happened and she thanked the rabbit gentleman very much. He said he had just happened to hop past and had seen that the board needed cleaning so he did it. Thus it all turned out right. And if the horse radish doesn't run away with the sugar bowl, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily's roller skates.

## ACCLAMATION IN SASKATCHEWAN

Regina, May 26.—Thomas Waddell of Mossbank, Liberal, yesterday was elected by acclamation for the Moose Jaw County seat in the Legislature of Saskatchewan, formerly occupied by Hon. Charles Dunning.

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maize, peach and apricot. Per

set .....\$10.50

### Vests and Step-ins

In heavy quality crepe de Chine, wash satin or

corallete, dainty lace trimming or embroidery, fine

tucks and French rosebuds; shown in peach, maize,

orchid, flesh, jade and white. Price, per garment,

\$5.50, \$6.95, \$7.95 to .....\$10.50

### Envelope Chemises

In heavy quality crepe de Chine, corallette and georgette,

some plain, others accordion pleated, trimmed

with finest quality lace, neat embroidery and French

rosebuds. Georgette crepe trimmed with hand-

printed designs; shown in peach, orchid, shrimp,

flesh and white. Prices, \$5.95, \$6.95, \$8.95,

\$9.50 to .....\$13.50

### Nightgowns

In a variety of pretty styles, shown in crepe de

Chine, wash satin and corallette; plain styles

trimmed with fine tucks and satin ribbon girde;

others have dainty narrow or deep lace yokes,

French rosebuds or hand-printed designs; shown in

peach, orchid, flesh, apricot and white. Prices

\$9.75, \$10.50, \$11.50, \$12.95 to .....\$17.50

### Boudoir Caps

In a large variety of styles, cap or band shapes, in

wash satin, crepe de Chine or georgette crepe, in

shades of rose, peach, orchid, maize and sky.



# CALLS FOR RELEASE OF CLIENT FOUND GUILTY ON GUN SMUGGLING CHARGE

Counts on Indictment Attacked by Stuart Henderson  
in Efforts to Set Aside Assize Court Jury's Verdict  
Against John Levy.

Attacking the indictment of John Louis Levy, found guilty by an assize jury on two of four counts connected with alleged smuggling of five sub machine guns, Stuart Henderson, before His Honor Mr. Justice Morrison at an adjourned Assize Court sitting to-day, argued that notwithstanding the verdict of the jury, the prisoner should be discharged and go forth a free man. There was no jury at this morning's sitting, Crown counsel, J. B. Clearhugh, and Mr. Henderson presenting arguments in the case from a point of law.

## LARGE PARTY IS EXPECTED TO MAKE TRIP AROUND ISLAND

Many Reservations Made For  
Cruise on July 3 by C.P.R.  
Steamer Princess Mary

Many reservations have already been made for the seven-day "Around Vancouver Island" cruise by the steamship Princess Mary, Canadian Pacific Railway officials stated this morning.

The Princess Mary will leave Vancouver at 1 o'clock on Saturday, July 3, arriving here at 7 o'clock and after taking on passengers will sail for Nanaimo, her first port of call, at 10 p.m.

The Mary has berth accommodations for 150 passengers, but to avoid overcrowding the party will be limited to 125.

This is the first tourist cruise around Vancouver Island. The C.P.R. hopes to operate more of these cruises in future, it is said. It is possible that a second cruise may be arranged in August.

Passengers from Seattle who will make the cruise will sail from the Sound City at 9 o'clock on Saturday morning aboard the Princess Katharine for this cruise.

The trip includes visits to: Nanaimo, Kildonan, Port Alberni, Ucluelet, Clayoquot, Matilda Creek, Hesquiat, Nootka, Desolation, where two fish reduction plants are located, Kyquato, Quatsino Village, Port Alice, Alert Bay, Knights' Inlet, Campbell River, Comox and Powell River.

## ASIA WILL HAVE CAPACITY CARGO

Canadian Pacific Liner Sails  
For Far East To-morrow  
Evening

R.M.S. Empress of Asia will carry a capacity cargo when she sails for the Orient to-morrow evening.

The liner will depart from Vancouver at noon calling here about 5.30 o'clock and leaving again for sea at 7 o'clock after picking up passengers and mail.

The Asia is also taking out a fair passenger list there being a total of 155 travelers in all classes.

Her cargo includes automobiles, asbestos, sulphate of ammonia, flour, lead, zinc, wood pulp and general freight.

The next Canadian Pacific liner to arrive from the Orient will be the Empress of Canada which is due to reach this port next Monday.

Astronomers who viewed the total eclipse of the sun in Sumatra said that the natives became alarmed, fearing that some dragon was trying to eat the sun.

Caracul lambs are killed when they are only a few days old, before the curl of their fur loosens, in order to produce Persian lamb and Astrakhan fur.

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No Need of Strong Medicines or Diet—  
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Eating Discomfort

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Don't take strong medicines, artificial stimulants or pull down your system by following unnecessary starvation diets.

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# MAKING A GROUP WOULD TAKE OVER HUDSON BAY LINE

Offer to Complete Railway in  
Two Years and Maintain  
Road

Ottawa, May 26.—Correspondence was tabled in the House of Commons yesterday with reference to an offer by a group of Manitoba men to take over the Hudson Bay Railway. The group which included Thomas Boyce, St. Boniface; R. J. Swain, then mayor of St. Boniface; H. S. Patterson, N. M. Patterson and J. D. McArthur, proposed to take over the unfinished railway and complete it as a private enterprise. In a memorandum dated October 18 last, they guaranteed to complete the line in two years and "maintain and operate the road forever."

They asked no land or cash subsidy and wanted no exemption from taxation or other special privileges, but asked the right to sell or lease the road to the Government and give the Government first refusal of any offer received or to provide that the road revert to the Government after twenty years of operation at a price fixed by arbitration.

No definite answer was given by the Government, though Premier King promised the proposals would receive earnest consideration.

On September 14 last, Thomas Boyce telegraphed Premier King that "I can assure you that if you do not see your way to accept our proposition, your chances for success in the West at the coming election are very unfavorable." In another wire he threatened to go on the platform and "oppose you." He declared replies received from the Government did not conform with previous understandings received by the promoters.

The file ends with a reply from Premier King on October 18 stating he was not aware of any understanding such as that referred to.

The evidence showed Mr. Clearhugh continued that the goods were put on at Seattle for a passenger coming to Victoria, via Vancouver. The goods were not taken off the boat at Vancouver but were brought straight through to Victoria.

Mr. Clearhugh quoting authority on the point read from typewritten manuscript.

"I steadfastly decline to listen to unsupported cases," the judge interrupted, remarking that neither he nor counsel for the defence had a copy.

Further attacking the indictment Mr. Henderson said there were offences under the Customs Act which had only been made indictable since 1924. Regarding prohibited articles the Customs Act said in case of smuggling the indictment should be "without the authority of the Minister." "Unlawfully," as the indictment read, might cover a multitude of sins, but it was not sufficient. No proof had been offered by the Crown as to whether the Minister had or had not given his consent. Mr. Henderson also raised arguments as to whether the judge had power to amend the indictment.

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# CANADIAN NATIONAL WILL RUN MORNING TRAIN TO JASPER

Owing to the increased popularity of Jasper National Park, the Canadian National Railway's famous Summer tourist resort, according to information received from Vancouver, the Government line will inaugurate on Sunday, June 27, a morning train service from the terminal city to Jasper. At present the C.N.R. only operates an evening transcontinental train out of Vancouver. It is expected that the new morning service will be in effect only during the Summer months.

## RAILWAY WORKERS ASK BETTER WAGES

Locomotive Engineers and  
Firemen of U.S. and Canada  
to Meet at Cleveland June 2

Cleveland, May 26.—Chief executives of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers yesterday announced movement for increased wages.

A. Johnston, grand chief of the engineers, said a referendum vote of the membership favored the movement and three hundred general chairmen of the engineers, representing all roads in the United States and Canada would meet here on June 2 to decide upon the procedure for presenting the request.

D. B. Robertson, president of the firemen, said a sub-committee of twelve representing the general chairmen, would meet here on the same date to discuss plans for handling the wage proposal.

Neither chief executive would discuss the amount of the increase. This must be decided by the committees, they said. It was believed they would be having wages restored to the war period basis.

Meeting simultaneously, it is believed the engineers and firemen may decide on a joint movement.

All five transportation brotherhoods have now inaugurated wage increase requests. The brotherhood of railroad trainmen and the Order of Railway Conductors presented joint demands several months ago for an increase of one dollar a month from the switchmen's union of North America presented independent demands for a wage increase and changes in working rules.

Relics of the glacial period, estimated to be from 25,000 to 30,000 years old, have been discovered by Professor Zelts of Freiburg University, in several caves of the Black Forest, Germany.

## TIMES SHIPPING CHART

OCEAN VESSELS TO ARRIVE

Steamer	Master	Agent	From	Due
Alabama Maru	Fuchigami	O.S.K.	Orient	May 28
Niagara	Shogman	C.P.R.	Australia	May 28
Empress of Canada	Robinson	C.P.R.	Orient	May 28
Auska Maru	Robinson	C.P.R.	Orient	June 3

OCEAN VESSELS TO SAIL

Steamer	Master	Agent	For	To Sail
Yokohama Maru	Shibutani	N.Y.K.	Orient	May 27
Empress of Asia	Shogman	C.P.R.	Australia	May 27
Niagara	Shogman	C.P.R.	Australia	June 2
Admiral O.	Robinson	C.P.R.	Orient	June 3
Empress of Canada	Robinson	C.P.R.	Orient	June 10

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

Canadian Freighters left Montreal for Avonmouth, Swansea, Genoa, Liverpool and Glasgow May 12.

Canadian Importer left Panama Canal for Victoria May 9.

Canadian Pioneer arrived Montreal May 15.

Canadian Planter left Vancouver for Union Bay May 23.

Canadian Prospector left Panama Canal for Gaspe, Quebec and Montreal May 15.

Canadian Ranger left Nanaimo for Portmouth, London and Antwerp May 15.

Canadian Seignior left Panama Canal for Devonport, London and Antwerp May 16.

Canadian Transporter sailed for Halifax, Avonmouth, Swansea, Liverpool, Genoa and Glasgow May 15.

Canadian Winner arrived Gravesend May 7.

Canadian Skirmisher arrived Glasgow May 4.

Canadian Coaster arrived Portland May 24.

Canadian Farmer left Ocean Falls for Astoria May 23.

Canadian Observer arrived San Pedro May 24.

Canadian Rover arrived Victoria May 26.

# IN PRIMARY AS TO DUTY LEVY ON NORTH POLE FILMS

New York, May 26.—Moving pictures taken from the aeroplane of Commander R. L. Byrd as he flew over the North Pole arrived in New York yesterday and were the centre of an inquiry as to whether or not customs officials should admit them duty free.

The North Pole was claimed in the name of the United States by Peary, if the Government fails to establish, content that the North Pole belongs to the United States, the duty on the films will be 15%.

Pictures of the arrival of the trans-polar airplane Norge at Spitzbergen were also received Tuesday.

## SPOKEN BY WIRELESS

May 26, 8 p.m.—Shipping:

CANADIAN ROVER, San Francisco for Victoria, 95 miles from Victoria.

CANADIAN FARMER, Ocean Falls for Astoria, 73 miles from Astoria.

HYSON, Hongkong for Portland, due Portland Friday.

E. P. KINGSLAY, Powell River for San Francisco, 20 miles south of Cape Flattery.

ARIZONA, San Francisco for Tacoma, 327 miles south of Cape Flattery.

CITY OF VANCOUVER, Yokohama for Port Alice, 298 miles from Port Alice.

CANADIAN HIGHLANDER, Halifax for Victoria, 293 miles from Victoria.

EMPEROR OF CANADA, 2,330 miles from Victoria, inbound.

JAPAN MARU, Hongkong for San Francisco, 2,280 miles from San Francisco.

ROBERT DOLLAR, Karatsu for San Pedro, 2,023 miles from San Pedro.

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# VERMONT RAILWAY'S EARNINGS INCREASE

But 1925 Operations Gave  
Deficit of \$822,755, C.N.R.  
Report Shows

Ottawa, May 26.—The Central Vermont Railway, the capital stock of which is largely owned by the Canadian National Railway, had a net deficit of \$822,755 in 1925. This is shown in the annual statement of the road tabled in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon. In passing, Hon. C. A. Dunning, Minister of Railways, remarked during his speech on C.N.R. affairs, that the operation of the Central Vermont Railway was not included in his statement.

The result of the operation of the Central Vermont Railway in 1925, however, showed an improvement over 1924 of \$14,307. The gross revenue increased \$22,812. Total operating expenses increased \$39,790, chiefly because of extraordinary expenditures last year on maintenance of way.

## Through the Canal

For the week ending April 24, vessels carrying cargoes through the Panama Canal in the intercoastal and Pacific-European trades, exclusive of oil in bulk, were:

INTERCOASTAL, WESTBOUND

Hanley (Norton Lilly), 5939 tons, steel.

Mukiteo (Charles Nelson Co.), 1348 tons, sulphur.

Eurans (Planet Line), 8558 tons, steel, general.

Kanuckian (Amer. - Hawaiian), 5178 tons, general.

Walter A. Luckenbach (Luckenbach), 7967 tons, general.

Carolinian (Munson), 3156 tons, general.

Peter Kerr (United American), 7143 tons, coal, sugar, general.

Columbia (Panama Mail), 3452 tons, general.

Sucraseco (Transmarine), 4300 tons, general.

Henry S. Grove (Argonaut), 7000 tons, steel, general.

President Garfield (Dollar), 4113 tons, general.

Edgar F. Luckenbach (Luckenbach), 5349 tons, general.

Odessa (Alaska S.S. Co.), 2775 tons, general.

Melyville Dollar (Dollar), 2700 tons, general.

James B. Duke (Garland), 2357 tons, general.

INTERCOASTAL, EASTBOUND

Jane Christensen (Sudden & Christensen), 5445 tons, lumber.

Robin Arair (Sea Shipping Company), 8095 tons, lumber.

Albert Jeffress (Garland), 6900 tons, lumber.

Sumico (Transmarine), 3900 tons, lumber.

K. I. Luckenbach (Luckenbach), 5421 tons, lumber.

Katrina Luckenbach (Luckenbach), 7548 tons, lumber, general.

Manchuria (Panama-Pacific), 49



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## WILL STIMULATE OVERSEAS LEAGUE

Robert O'Brien on Organization Mission and Now Touring Canada

With a view to organizing branches of the Overseas League in Victoria, as in other parts of Canada, Robert O'Brien, League Commissioner, will arrive here Friday. He is on a tour of Canada.

The Overseas League, according to Mr. O'Brien, is the strongest Empire organization existing, comprising a membership of 33,000 in all British dominions and foreign lands. There are approximately 2,000 members in Canada at the present time, he says, and it is his duty to attempt to further organize Canadians and swell their number in the league.

The Overseas Club was first formed in 1910 at Ottawa and since that

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time the organization has swelled until it is an established and recognized association spreading in its influence throughout the empire. By 1925 it had grown into the Overseas League. In 1910 it had but forty members.

Mr. O'Brien will probably lecture here. He is a nephew of the late Lord Northcliffe.

## PLAN GRADUATED SCALE FOR BONDS OF MOTOR BUSES

Common Bond For All Owners Considered Unfair; Macnicol Protests

A new scale of bonds which must be deposited with the Provincial Government by operators of passenger buses will be worked out by officials of the Public Works Department, following consideration of the new code of highway regulations by the Cabinet yesterday.

The regulations as drafted would force all operators of passenger vehicles to deposit a similar bond to cover cases of accidents to their patrons. This the Cabinet considers unreasonable. It is felt that the size of the bond should be based on the carrying capacity of the vehicle operated so that big bus operators may pay more than the owners of small jitneys.

Reeve Robert Macnicol of Saanich waited upon the Cabinet yesterday to protest against the scale of bonds as published in the draft regulations. The Cabinet agreed with him that some changes were required.

Public Works Department officials will try to arrange these changes as fast as possible so that the new regulations may go into force on June 1 as originally proposed.

## LATE LIEUT.-COL. BOTT LAID AT REST HERE

Funeral of the late Lieut.-Col. John Cecil Latham Bott took place yesterday afternoon at 2:15 from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, and proceeded to St. Mary's Church, where service was conducted by the Rev. Archdeacon Laycock, assisted by the Rev. A. E. de L. Nunn, in the presence of a large number of friends. The casket was draped with the Union Jack, and many beautiful floral offerings covered the hearse. The hymns sung were "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" and "Abide With Me." The following gentlemen acted as pallbearers: Major P. B. Edwards, Lieut. G. W. Beveridge, Sgt. J. Ready, M.G.S. P. J. Crow, Major T. Godfrey, Capt. B. Gadsden, C.S.M. A. W. Webb, and Lieut. W. C. Warren. The body was laid to rest at Ross Bay Cemetery.

## DEATH SUMMONS SAANICH RESIDENT

The death occurred this morning of Mrs. Euphemia Keir, wife of Wm. Keir, of 3670 Craigmillar Avenue, Saanich, aged sixty-seven years. The late Mrs. Keir was born in Renton, Dumfriesshire, Scotland, and had been a resident of this city for the last six years. She leaves to mourn their loss her husband, two daughters, Mrs. J. Cooper and Mrs. E. Main of Victoria, four sons, John of Toronto, William in London, England, and Robert and Edward in Victoria, also a brother and sister in Scotland. The remains are reposing at the R.C. Funeral Chapel and funeral arrangements will be announced later.

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## NEWS IN BRIEF

W. B. A. Reviews No. 1 and 11 will hold their memorial service on Sunday, June 20, in the First United Church.

The St. John's Anglican Young People's Association will hold their final social to-morrow evening, 8 o'clock at the home of Miss Harris, 1702 Belmont Avenue.

Dr. Hugh Clarke, dentist, is speaking over the radio to-night at 9 o'clock. Subject, "The Care of the Teeth." Parents are advised to make an effort to hear this interesting talk.

To combat the earwig while infested in still night, the City Council will ask for a survey of Victoria by the Dominion Entomologist and will print and circulate 5,000 red warning handbills.

Transfer of the Bella Coala Logging Company property to Harry Adams Rose, purchaser under a sale ordered by the registrar, was approved by Mr. Justice Morrison in Supreme Court Chambers this morning.

The handsome war canoe presented to Victoria by the Malahat tribesmen on Saturday will be entrusted to the care of the park committee of the City Council, aldermen last night expressing appreciation of the gift.

A meeting of the Victoria Liberal Association executive committee will be held at the Victoria Government and Broughton Streets, on to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to be present as important business will be dealt with.

The students of the Normal School will entertain the teachers of the city on Friday afternoon at the annual exhibition of home economics, primary art and handicraft. During the afternoon tea will be served, and all interested are invited to attend.

Skipping his bail of \$150, when charged with a grave offence, Terry R. Nelson now has his name on a police warrant. Originally charged with vagrancy, the information was amended recently but the case remained until to-day. Meanwhile Nelson made his departure from the city.

The case against Alexander Turner, charged with vagrancy, was dismissed to-day when the lady who laid the information against him failed to appear in court to testify that he had followed her on her way home from the city late one night this week.

Joseph Rose, optician, will deliver the fourth of a series of talks over radio CFCT to-night. On previous occasions Mr. Rose has spoken on "The Care of the Eyes" and "The Care of the Teeth" and he has chosen for the theme of his address to-night "Making Canada Safer." The talk will begin at 8:15.

Announcement that the weekly band concerts held every Wednesday evening at the Crystal Garden orchestra was discontinued for the Summer months was made yesterday. The Crystal Garden orchestra will now play as usual on Wednesday evenings commencing at 8 o'clock and continuing until 11:30.

The secretary of the G.W.V.A. has received from the Vernon branch requesting him to arrange for a wreath from that branch to be placed on the grave of the late Colonel Bott of Vernon. Captain G. G. Bott of the G.W.V.A. attended the funeral as representing Vernon G.W.V.A. The secretary represented the Victoria branch.

Dr. Arthur F. Barton will speak in the New Thought Temple this evening at 8 o'clock on "Save Your Nerves." Dr. Barton claims that many people are suffering from various diseases of the nervous system because they are wasting their nervous energy, and in this lecture he proposes to give some idea of the functions of the nervous system and the causes of nervous breakdowns.

A backfire in the engine of a small launch ignited gasoline tanks and the fire department was called upon to quell the blaze. The engine raced to 415 Bay Street from which point the alarm was given but was directed from there to the real scene of the trouble, a launch moored near the V.M.D. wharves. The fire was quickly put out by the fire department.

Exception to the remarks of Senator Griebach in which he is reported to have said ex-service men were unfit to govern in this or any country, was taken at a meeting of the executive of the N.W.A. Saturday night. Strong condemnation was passed upon the alleged derogatory remarks of the senator and it was decided to bring the matter before the next general meeting. It was also decided to bring the matter before the zone representative of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League.

Pleading guilty to a charge of selling liquor at his premises at 723 Pandora Avenue, Peter Barnett was fined \$300 for the offence in the city police court this morning. He said he did not make a practice of selling liquor. The two stool-niggers which had been sent to his house told him they were ill and proffered a \$2-bill in payment for the drinks they received, he declared. He knew both men, he said, and they would bear out the truth of his story. The two stool-niggers were taken to his house he had purchased fifteen days before the incident, he said. Surely this was proof that he had not done any illicit business, he argued. His previous convictions made the police suspect him. Magistrate Jay imposed a fine of \$300, which is the minimum under the Act.

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## INDEPENDENCE MINE DEAL GIVES AMERICANS CONTROL

Big Property Adjoining Premier Mines Near Stewart, B.C., Is Taken Up by Detroit and Portland Financiers, Leaving Only Dunwell Held by Canadians.

Financial interests of Detroit, headed by Charles D. Bush, consulting engineer, of that city, and J. Taylor, his partner, and with whom are associated Portland, Oregon, interests, represented by Isham N. Smith, an attorney, have taken over the control of the Independence Gold Mines, on the opposite side of the same hill from the Premier Gold Mining Company, it was announced to-day at the head office of the company, following the arrival here from Seattle of S. P. Fitzgerald, discoverer and manager of the Independence.

As a result of the deal, the Victoria directors who have been on the board of the company during its early development stage, will be eliminated, and the control of the mine will go to the Detroit bankers and mining interests. The office of the company will remain in Victoria for the present, it was announced.

Mr. Bush is going north with Mr. Fitzgerald as consulting engineer on the property. A \$125,000 development programme has been agreed upon by the Detroit and Portland interests, with the object of putting the mine on a shipping and dividend basis. This week the Premier Gold Mines, controlled in New York, and the Big Missouri, which is controlled in Tacoma, the fourth developed property is the Dunwell, control of which so far remains in Canada, through its Victoria ownership.

while the one next to it goes thirty-three feet, and their discovery last year created quite a sensation in the North because of their size.

The engineering figures given out here to-day show that when the crosscut is completed, there will be 300,000 tons of milling ore in position to be handled, which will be equal to ten years' supply.

As a result of this Independence deal to-day, three out of the four developed properties in the Stewart, B.C., Portland Canal camp have passed under American control, the other two being the Premier Gold Mines, controlled in New York, and the Big Missouri, which is controlled in Tacoma. The fourth developed property is the Dunwell, control of which so far remains in Canada, through its Victoria ownership.

crossing the continent in one's own closed motor car and in the ordinary way in a train," Mr. Anderson said. "After our experience in traveling, we would not have known any other way than by motor. You get an altogether new idea of the country from what is possible from the train. You have to go by motor to get the real scenery. The reason for this is that the railways mostly go through the valley passes, while the highway climb up over the mountains."

LOG OPERATOR IN TOWN

The logging business in the Sooke district is proceeding satisfactorily in a conservative way, and the logger's only desire is that the log market would advance, according to W. J. Milligan, logging operator of Sooke, who is at the Dominion Hotel to-day on a business visit.

Other Island people in town to-day include Mr. and Mrs. C. Remaker of Lake Cowichan, Mr. and Mrs. F. Blakewood of Chamulau, N.B. Stearns of Nanaimo, W. Mackenzie of Duncan, Ruth Nelson and M. Nelson of Salt Spring Island, who are at the Dominion Hotel; Mr. Ellis of Shawigan, Lake, who is at the Hotel Strathcona.

FROM UNUSUAL INTERIOR TOWN

Official representative of the Canadian National Railways and the most important man in his community, which is a little interior town in the interior of British Columbia, arrived here to-day from Chichau, B.C. This is about fifty miles north of Kamloops on the C.N.R. He is down to the Coast on a holiday tour with his wife.

Other mainland people here to-day are Mrs. Claire Fitzgibbon, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Smart of Vancouver, at the Hotel Strathcona; Mrs. W. J. Phelps, Mrs. H. M. Howell, Mr. and Mrs. J. Pierson of Vancouver, who are at the Dominion Hotel.

WANTS MINE TO PAY DIVIDEND

Making arrangements for the opening up in a big way of the Independence Mine on the other side of the mountain from the famous Premier Mine, S. P. Fitzgerald, manager of Stewart, B.C., head of the property, arrived at the Dominion Hotel to-day. The Independence is owned by Victoria, Seattle and Vancouver capitalists. Mr. Fitzgerald is planning to get a mill into operation on the property so that it can soon get into the dividend-paying column.

Mrs. J. Pierson is at the Dominion Hotel from Banff. D. E. May of Edmonton has arrived at the Hotel Strathcona.

Mr. and Mrs. Storrie crossed over from Port Angeles this morning for a short stay here at the Hotel Strathcona.

Lynna W. Meekins of Ottawa, United States Trade Commissioner to Canada and Newfoundland, is on one of his frequent visits to Victoria and the Island. After an interview with President Schwengler, of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, she has gone up to Chemulau and Nanaimo.

"We had no trouble at all outside of a couple of punctures," Mr. Anderson went on. "At one place a country garage dealer, who had a big stock of tires on hand that were in selling, spangled tanks and the road for a distance on either side of his stand. The result was that very few cars got by without puncturing his shop."

After making the trip to Victoria, Mr. Anderson in the Fall set out in his car and went east on the American side to Moose Jaw on the prairies, where he spent a few weeks attending to his farm and grain interests. In the Winter he returned to the coast by car and since has been looking after his business interests by wire and mail from this city.

OVER MOUNTAINS, ACROSS PLAINS

The motor trip across the continent on which the Anderson family will embark next week, will take them through the Canadian Rockies, partly over the new transprovincial highway.

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RACING

Partial results of racing at Calgary to-day:

First race—War Salsam won, \$2.50, \$2.20, \$2.40; June Shot, second, \$2.45, \$2.40; Olive Bun, third, \$3.20.

Second race—Midnight Belle won, \$18.40, \$5.55, \$2.40; Rose Roberts, second, \$2.25, \$2.40; Lucky Lou, third, \$2.40.

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Washington, May 26.—The Shipping Board voted full authority to-day to Chairman O'Connell to complete the sale of the five liners of the American-Oriental Mail Line out of Seattle to the Orient to R. Stanley Dollar, of San Francisco.

## OILED HIGHWAY IS OPENED TO DUNCAN; MORE WORK PLANNED

New Era of Smooth Travel Starts as Engineers Complete Surfacing Project

Five and Half South of Nanaimo Also to be Oiled When Weather Permits

A new era of comfortable motor travel from here to Duncan was ushered in yesterday when the Island Highway was opened after receiving a heavy coat of oil. For the first time yesterday cars were allowed to drive from the city to Duncan entirely on the main highway and all detours were eliminated.

Motorists who tested out the road were enthusiastic in their praise of the results accomplished by the Public Works Department. The surface of the road for the first time at this season of the year is smooth and flat. All the old bumps which used to make motoring uncomfortable from Mill Bay on have been ironed out and the surface created is almost like hard paving.

After finishing the oiling from Mill Bay on to Duncan engineers moved north to Nanaimo, where they are arranging to oil one mile and a half of the main highway from the Nanaimo paving south when weather permits. From Duncan north to the southern end of this oiling there will be a gap of un-oiled road this year but it is expected it will be filled in next year when more money is available.

## THREE DIVORCES IN THIRTY MINUTES

Two Wives and One Husband Granted Decrees by Supreme Court Judge

Three divorces decreed in half an hour were granted by Mr. Justice Auley Morrison in the Supreme Court to-day. Two wives applying were granted decrees in fifteen minutes. The hearing of the application by a husband seeking divorce took fifteen minutes.

Edith Vinal was granted a divorce from her husband who left her three years ago. She was allowed the custody of two children.

Lillian Wood secured a divorce from her husband, James W. Wood, seaman. She was granted the custody of five children, the eldest of whom is thirteen years of age and the youngest one year.

Adam Scott, laborer, was granted a divorce from his wife, Alice May Scott, from whom he had been separated seven years. Two children, one of fourteen and one of eleven years remain with the mother.

Harris, Defending Champion, Advances In British Amateur

Muirfield, May 26.—Robert Harris, defending his title, advanced to the fourth round of the British amateur golf championship here this afternoon when he defeated a fellow-player of the British Empire, G. D. Forrester, of Calcutta, India, four up and two to play.

Four members of the United States Walker Cup team—Bobby Jones, Jess Sweetser, Watts Gunn and Jess Guilford—are still in the running. Players start the fourth round to-morrow.

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## REV. A. WHITESIDE, RETIRED PASTOR, DIED HERE TO-DAY

Rev. Arthur Whiteside, after a long illness, died at an early hour this morning, at his home, 2538 Quadra Street. He was born at St. John's, N.B., seventy-six years ago, and had been a resident of this city for the last six years.

The late Mr. Whiteside is survived by two sons, Mr. John Whiteside, in Ontario, and Mr. Carleton Whiteside at home, four daughters, Mrs. S. M. Vallis of New Brunswick, Mrs. J. M. Whitehead, at home, the Misses Eunice and Joy Whiteside, of the Royal Jubilee Hospital staff.

The funeral will take place on Friday, May 28, at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. Dr. W. J. Sippell will officiate and the remains will be laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

## FUNERAL YESTERDAY

The remains of the late Mrs. Mary Johnston were laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park yesterday afternoon. Funeral service was held at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, at 2:30 o'clock, when the Rev. W. G. Wilson, of the First United Church, officiated. The hymns sung were "Nearer, My God, to Thee" and "Abide With Me." There was an unusually large attendance of friends present and a profusion of beautiful floral designs covered the casket and hearse, bearing testimony to the esteem in which the late Mrs. Johnston was held. Messrs. W. A. Edmonds, J. J. Wilson, Alex. Peden, W. E. Loece, George Garmson and A. McKeachie acted as pallbearers.

## PREPARATIONS MADE FOR ALPINE CAMP

C. G. Waites Chooses Routes For Mountain Climbers in Jasper National Park

Jasper Park, Alta., May 26.—Cyril G. Waites, F.R.G.S., honorary member of the English Alpine Club and chairman of the Edmonton branch of the Canadian Alpine Club, returning from a trip to the Tonquin Valley established a record for hiking over the MacArthur Summit and the Portail Creek trail when he left Amethyst Lake at 8 o'clock yesterday and walked into Jasper at five yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Waites made a survey of the Tonquin Valley, which will be the scene of the Canadian Alpine Club's activities during the last week of July.

Mr. Waites recommends that the club members leave the railroad at Gellie station, on the Canadian National line, and make their way into the Tonquin Valley by the Meadow

Creek trail as far as Mont Lake, on the shore of which they will establish their main camp. Outlying camps will be located on Mount Gellie of the Rampart Range, from which attempts will be made to scale the different peaks. This range contains many mountains over 10,000 feet in height, seventy per cent of which are still unclimbed.

Returning, the climbers will make their way out over the MacArthur Pass and down the Portail Creek trail to Jasper.

## CHARGE LAID AND ARREST MADE

Vancouver, May 26.—On the complaint of a Galiano Island resident, E. E. Trevor was arrested by provincial police on a charge of impounding him in the loss of a valise and clothing. Sergeant Robert Owen of Victoria is escorting him to that city this afternoon for preliminary hearing.

Need for sanitary regulations in garages is shown by the fact that lead is present in garage dust, and carbon monoxide is often present in the air in large quantities.



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# BASEBALL, BOXING, SPORTING NEWS, GOLF, BOWLING

## Holderness Is Beaten By a 19-Year-Old Scot

Another Prominent Britisher Eliminated in Amateur Golf Championship; Harris, Defending Champion, Chief Hope of Keeping Title at Home; Chick Evans Passes Out of Picture; Jones, Gunn and Guilford Win

Muirfield, May 26.—Another one of Great Britain's former amateur golf champions went down to defeat today when R. W. Peattie, of Cupar, eliminated Sir Ernest Holderness by two up in the third round.

Other former champions eliminated so far are Cyril Tolley and Roger Wethered.

Peattie is a nineteen-year-old Scotsman who learned his game at Cupar, near St. Andrews. He won the boys' championship last year just before passing the age limit.

He defeated the former amateur champion to-day two up in a breathless finish which brought the luncheon crowds out of the clubhouse.

Peattie and Sir Ernest went to the seventeenth with the former champion one down. Peattie's tee shot went to the rough and Holderness was bunkered.

Peattie recovered, playing short of the trap in front of the green for safety, and then laid his next four feet from the cup.

Sir Ernest's third was twenty feet away and his putt was five feet short.

The boy studied the line intently and then tapped the putt home for the victory over his famous opponent, while the enthusiastic gallery surged through the ropes and cheered their young countryman.

**HARRIS CARRIES BRITAIN'S BURDEN**

Robert Harris, the present titleholder, is now considered the chief British hope in keeping the title in Great Britain in the face of the strongest United States threat in years.

Bobby Jones, of Atlanta, the United States champion, eliminated C. C. Aylmer, of the Annapolis Club, of London, five and four.

Jesse Guilford, of Boston, entered the fourth round at the expense of P. M. Ross, of East Lothian, three and two.

Donald Woodward, of Washington, D.C., was eliminated by A. C. Briscoe, of England, three and two.

Chick Evans, of Chicago, one of the United States strong hopes for the championship, was eliminated by J. B. Deck, of London, three and one.

F. W. Ransom, of Jacksonville, Fla., scratched.

Watts Gunn, of Atlanta, defeated John Wilson, Scotch schoolmaster, four and three.

Grant Peacock, of Garden City, N.Y., defeated L. M. Lloyd of Greenwich, Conn., four and three.

New Zealand's star, Samuel Turner, was defeated in the third round by Harry Brewer, a former Princeton University student, two and one.

Two gaps were made in the ranks of the United States contingent. Besides Evans' defeat, Francis Guimet, of Boston, was defeated by Jess Sweetser, of New York, one up.

Bobby Jones, present United States champion, came through against C. C. Aylmer, a veteran Britisher, while Jesse Guilford, of Boston, defeated P. M. Ross, of East Lothian.

Guilford continued his success in the afternoon, defeating Angus Hambro, a Scotsman, one up.

Bobby Jones also won his afternoon match from H. M. Dickson, of Glasgow, four and three.

## Four More Wins For Yankees Will Boost Them to Record Tie

N.Y. Captured Two Games Yesterday, With Ruth Hitting 16th Homerun

Uhle Wins Game For Cleveland With Homer; Giants Beat Brooklyn Twice

New York, May 26.—Four more conquests for the New York Yankees, providing no defeats are interwoven, will tie the American record of nineteen straight games made by the Chicago White Sox.

The Yankees added two more in a double-header with Boston Red Sox yesterday, 5-3 and 5-4, and Babe Ruth increased his home run string for the season to sixteen, placing him more than a week ahead of the record he made in 1921.

Moreover, Herbert Pennock scored his eighth victory of the year in the second game.

At Philadelphia, the Senators and Athletics divided a doubleheader. The first went to the Senators 17-12, while the Athletics gained the second 7-6.

**WON HIS OWN GAME**

St. Louis and Cleveland staged an eleven-inning contest with the home team going to the Indians 5-4. George Uhle, who fanned ten Browns during the game, won his own battle with a home run with Sewell on base.

Twenty safe hits gave the Detroit Tigers an 8-2 victory over Chicago. Wingo, Bassler and Tavenner each got four hits.

Brooklyn dropped two games to the Giants, Farrell's homer with the bases filled settling the first struggle, while a five-run rally in the seventh against Grimes accounted for the second.

Morrison pitched the Pirates to a victory over the Cubs 5-2. Luque was hit hard by the Cardinals and Cincinnati lost 9-7.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

At Boston.—R. H. E.  
New York..... 5 14 7  
Boston..... 3 8 3  
Batteries—Thomas and Collins; Zahniser and Gaston.

Second game.—R. H. E.  
New York..... 5 19 9  
Boston..... 4 12 1  
Batteries—Pennock and Collins; Ehmske, Ruffing and Bischoff.

At Philadelphia.—R. H. E.  
Washington..... 17 16 2  
Philadelphia..... 12 17 5  
Batteries—Ferguson, Merriam, Macbeth and Ruel; Grove, Gray, Baumgartner and Cochrane.

Second game.—R. H. E.  
Washington..... 6 10 3  
Philadelphia..... 7 10 7  
Batteries—Ferguson and Severide; Rommel, Gray and Cochrane.

At Detroit.—R. H. E.  
Chicago..... 2 9 0  
Detroit..... 9 20 0  
Batteries—Blankenship, Leverette and Crouse; Stoner and Bassler.

At Cleveland.—R. H. E.  
Cleveland..... 12 12 2  
Cleveland..... 6 11 2  
Batteries—Zachary, Ballou and Hargrave; Uhle and C. Sewel.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

At St. Louis.—R. H. E.  
Cincinnati..... 7 12 2  
St. Louis..... 9 7 1  
Batteries—Luque, Holland and Hargrave; Keen and O'Farrell.

Pittsburgh.—R. H. E.  
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**COAST LEAGUE**

Los Angeles, May 24.—The league leading Los Angeles Angels celebrated their return home after a victorious three weeks' road trip by defeating the Hollywood Stars, 13 to 1, in the series opened here yesterday.

**SEATTLE SCRAPED THROUGH**

Seattle, May 25.—Robert Hasty pitched a gem for the Seattle Mariners yesterday, although Martin allowed only four hits, Seattle winning the first game of a series with Sacramento, 3 to 2.

**SEALS COME TO LIFE**

San Francisco, May 25.—The cellar-guarding Seals made an auspicious opening in this week's series by defeating the Athletics, 13 to 4. Free hitting by the Seals and a couple of home runs featured the game.

**MOMER WITH BASES FULL**

Portland, May 26.—Buss Arietti's home run with the bases full in the eighth inning, just after Oakland had pushed across the first run of the game on Boal's double, a fielder's choice and Rogers' single, broke up the Athletics' contest with Portland and the Oaks won, 9 to 0.

**INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE**

Rochester 6, Toronto 3.  
Reading 5, Baltimore 16.  
Jersey City 3, Newark 11.  
Buffalo 3, Syracuse 2.

## IS BRITISH AMATEUR GOLF CHAMPION HERE?



Upsets galore are figuring in the British amateur golf championship which opened at Muirfield on Monday. Three of Britain's main hopes have passed out of the picture, Cyril Tolley, Roger Wethered and Sir Ernest Holderness. This trio was expected to get into the semi-finals, but they have been brushed aside by new stars.

The elimination of Tolley, Wethered and Holderness is felt, in many quarters, to favor the Americans in their quest of the championship. The American team, however, has not been free from eliminations and one of their aces, Von Elm, has passed into the discard. Roland McKenzie, Chick Evans and Bob Gardner have also suffered defeat, leaving the task of winning in the hands of Bobby Jones, Jess Guilford and Francis Guimet.

Not since 1904 has an American representative topped the coveted honors. That year Walter Travis turned the trick. Moreover, he stands as the only one of Uncle Sam's long list of entrants ever to make a successful invasion of European soil wherein this particular title was at stake.

At that Travis wasn't an American by birth, the coping from Australia. So, United States-born entry has yet to win his first British amateur crown.

Twenty-two campaigns is a mighty long span in any athletic endeavor. Down through the years, America has sent many of its most celebrated warriors across the pond, only to have them fail.

In 1920 Bob Gardner, famous pole-vaulter star at Yale years ago, and former national amateur titleholder, finished second to the equally famous Cyril Tolley. Gardner fell at the thirty-seventh hole. That, by the way, has been the best representative of the United States in the history of the game. He was able to do outside of the Travis triumph.

Bobby Jones, present U.S. amateur champion and former national open king and one of the greatest golfers in history, is obviously looked on as America's forces' best bet.

## Dave Lewis Signed For Bout With Hard Hitting Nanaimo Boy

H. Pollett to Come Here For Bout Next Month For Island Championship

Dave Lewis, Victoria's most promising boxer, had a match with Harry Pollett of Nanaimo, for a ten-round bout for the featherweight championship of Vancouver Island. The bout is to be staged in the Victoria Boxing Association and will be held at the Arena the early part of next month.

Lewis since his last appearance in the ring a month ago has been training faithfully in a private gymnasium in Victoria West and has been boxing with all comers, principally heavyweights and middleweights and is showing great improvement.

Billy Davies, who has had plenty of experience both as a fighter and trainer, is looking after Lewis and is of the opinion that he will prove to be the best boxer Victoria has ever turned out.

In the near future Lewis will transfer his training quarters to the Metropolitan Billiard Parlors on Yates Street when the fans will have a chance to see him in action.

Several new boxers have located here since the last show and it is expected that they will be seen in the ring when the bouts are staged next month.

## Archie Muir Wins

Archie Muir of Scotland won the tomahawk competition at the Colwood Golf Club on Monday.

Archie kept going until he was on the nineteenth fairway, while George Straith, who got to the eighteenth green, was second.

## COLLINGWOOD BEATEN

Vancouver, B.C., May 26.—University of Washington nine defeated the Collingwood team of the senior city baseball league in an evening game here last night, the score being 6 to 2.

## CUBAN WINS EASILY

Miami, May 26.—Genaro Pino of Havana, Cuban flyweight boxing champion, easily defeated Patsy Crawford, Saginaw, Mich., in a ten-round bout here last night. Pino won by a wide margin, newspapers crediting him with every round.

## Henri Breaux Rides Bike Nearly Mile a Minute in France

Montreuil, France, May 26.—Henri Breaux, the cyclist, set a new record yesterday, covering 100 kilometers in one hour, 7 minutes, 42.8 seconds setting what is claimed to be the world's fastest record for the distance on a bicycle.

## INTERMEDIATE BALL TEAMS WILL OPEN UP SEASON TO-NIGHT

Arrangements for the opening of the Intermediate Baseball League were completed last night. The opening games will be played to-night, with the "play ball" call at 8:15 o'clock.

There will be a double-header with the C.P.R. meeting Rock Bay at Beacon Hill and the Y.M.C.A. and 12th Battalion will play at the Victoria High School.

The schedule has been divided into two sections and the winners will play off for the championship at the end.

The schedule is capable of playing good ball and their games should be very interesting. It is expected a good crowd will attend the opening to-night.

Half of the schedule will be as follows:

May 25.—Rock Bay vs. Y.M.C.A. at Beacon Hill; C.P.R. vs. 12th Battalion at Victoria High School.

June 2.—Rock Bay vs. 12th Battalion at Victoria High School; Y.M.C.A. vs. C.P.R. at Beacon Hill.

## PIGEON RACING

Edna W. one of the veterans owned by W. Simpson, won the race on May 22 from Eugene, Oregon, an air line of 300 miles. This wonderful little hen has flown several 500-mile races and competed in two provincial events, winning second place in one of them.

Daddy B. of Talis, and Flying Ork, of Crossman's, are both old warriors and showed that the harder the day the better they like it. W. Simpson won both nomination pool and a cup donated by Mayor Pendray. W. R. Brackman & Co. of Crossman won the special donated by Brackman & Co.

The next will be held on Saturday, May 28, from Myrtle Creek, Oregon, about 100 birds competing.

Results of the race were:

W. Simpson's Edna W. .... \$38.49  
W. Talis's Daddy B. .... \$39.01  
T. Crossman's Flying Ork. .... \$42.59  
J. Cumberbatch's Hard Luck. .... \$55.05  
Stewart & Son's Rudolph. .... \$104.82  
H. Saville's Hang On. .... \$105.21  
J. Bowcott's Jack. .... \$105.41  
R. Dickinson's Scout Bear. .... \$105.49  
C. Kelley's Royal Irish. .... \$111.11  
J. Demco's Scramble. .... \$115.07  
J. Crossman's Powder King. .... \$115.25  
W. Bryan's Penkridge. .... \$115.43  
J. Bland's Rejected. .... \$115.43  
J. Grimston's Tut Tut. .... \$125.54

## J.B.A.A. Hold Smoker

A smoker will be held by the J.B.A.A. to-night in the K. of C. Hall. It is expected there will be a large turnout of members.

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## Civic Dinner For English Soccer Team

The City Council will tender a civic dinner to the members of the English football team, now visiting Canada, during its stay in Victoria.

An appropriation of \$75 was last night set aside for the function.

## SPENCERS WILL MEET TILICUMS IN BALL STRUGGLE TO-NIGHT

One of to-night's baseball attractions will be between the league-leaders, the Spencers, and the Tillicums, the tail-enders. The Commercial League fixture will draw a good crowd of fans.

Spencers have won the only game in which they have figured so far this season, having defeated Sidney in the opener. On the other hand the Tillicums have dropped their lone effort, their conquerors being the C.P.R.

The game will start at 6:30 o'clock and Harold Featherstone will be the umpire.

## Phil Taylor Sends In Entry For U.S. Golf Championship

Qualifying Round in Northwest Section Will be Played in Seattle June 14

Spokane, May 26.—The entry list for the Pacific Northwest qualifying round for the national open golf championship was announced here last night by Harlan Peyton, president of the Pacific Northwest Golf Association.

The qualifying round will be played at the Inglewood Course in Seattle on June 14.

The eighteen players entered are as follows: Walter Pursey, George Pursey, R. W. Ball, John Jones, Curly Huston, Jack Westland, Barney Savory, Ben Stein and Fred Henwood, Seattle; C. H. Perkins, Vancouver; B.G. Harold O. Bear, Mel Smith and John Junior, Portland; Phil Taylor, Victoria; W. E. Daiglish and W. J. Noonan, Tacoma; Neil Chisholm, Yackand and Mortie Dutra, Aberdeen.

Of these all are professionals except Noonan, Westland, Savory and Stein. They will qualify for the national open.

## SIDELIGHTS

Three times the Eagles have tried, and they haven't put across a victory yet. They may have better luck in the second inning, scoring two runs against the Sons of Canada, the cocky league leaders, next Monday.

Jack Noble took the credit for the Travelers' win last night, and he deserves it. Besides striking out seven batters, Jack up and walloped a home run in the second inning, scoring two runners ahead of him. That's his second this season, so he leads the local Babe Ruths.

Noble has a nonchalant air about him that seems to put the opposing batsmen off their guard. His "slippery elm" has a lot to do with his fast hooks, however.

Art Minnis certainly made up for his poor showing in the opening act of this season. He was always at the right spot at the right time. He made a nice one-handed catch of Outman's fly in the second.

Collin Campbell also pulled off a nice catch. He ran over thirty yards back of the foul line from third base to "spear" Wachter's high one.

Storch, who opened on the mound for the Eagles, will now up one day. He isn't quite ready yet. He lacks control. His speed is fine, and he has lots of stuff, but doesn't always use it right.

Percy Ross ought to get some credit for his performance when he relieved Storch. It's pretty hard to strike out two in a row with the bases full and your arm cold. He offset this good work, however, when he made a wild peg to second, letting Ross score.

Although it looked bad, Roy Copas can hardly be blamed for his wild throw in the sixth. He was in a groove, holding the "slippery elm" which Noble had put on the pill and it slipped from his fingers as he threw the ball. Still, he might have tossed the ball to second and retired the side that way.

Jimmy Givens should have got a two-bagger on his long hit to centre field in the sixth. The ball rapped against the fence, but Turpel's throw to the infield scared Jimmy away from the second sack and he backed up.

Ross Outman scored a neat putout in the sixth. Bowden hit a hard grounder which caught Ross on the shin and rebounded toward the first sack. Outman fielded the ball and had to make a long slide to the bag. He sent Bowden to it.

**Mrs. Ridewood is Elected President of Victoria L.T.C.**

Mrs. H. E. Ridewood was elected president of the ladies' committee of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club at a largely attended meeting. The following were elected as a committee: Mrs. H. McQuinn, Mrs. Eric McCallum, Mrs. H. Sharps, Miss Mason, Miss Mary Campbell and Miss Mona Miller. Mrs. S. L. K. Verley was re-elected as secretary.

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Again in the second the Eagles registered. Given a pass to first, Ross sacrificed and Storch hit safe. Givens came home on the play.

The Travelers got their artillery second. Campbell started with a single. Featherstone followed with another but Campbell was out going to third. More also did when Richard threw him out at first, but Cottet nabbed a single and Featherstone crossed the platter.

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# Wall Street TO-DAY

## Last Minute News on Stocks and Financial Affairs

New York, May 26 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—Optimistic trade element was the feature of day's news. Though profit taking was encountered on the way up, this was digested in very encouraging manner and in the late afternoon the buying power became more aggressive, especially following the easing off in call loan rates, which ruled at 3 1/2 per cent and generally speaking final quotations were around best of the day. The car loadings were the feature influence in carrier and industrial department and with the week's figures over the million mark a new high for this time of year was recorded also the American Petroleum Institute figures on oil production disagreed with figures published by other petroleum officials and this influence remained active on buying side of oils. The iron age report was also constructive in character.

New York, May 26 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—The Wall Street Journal's stock market edition this afternoon says: Favorable developments from various points of the industrial world induced considerable new buying and covering by shorts. A strong market with considerable breadth followed. Included in the budget of news was the advance in steel bar prices by the Corporation, decline in production of crude oil, new high prices of refined sugar and continued large car loadings. From the point of view of actual as well as sentimental influence the advance in steel bars was no doubt of greatest importance. Steel stocks advanced nicely as a result of the price advance, as well as the information that inquiries for finished steel are on the upgrade. The oils showed the most sustained advance of any group and next in line were the rails.

## CHICAGO GRAIN

Chicago, May 26 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—Wheat: May developments further strengthened and advanced easily under short covering that persisted throughout greater part of session. Late months, too, were strong, but realizing sales held the rally in check. Liverpool market was firmer than due and closed 1/4 to 1 1/2 higher, while private reports indicated that the northwest in sections had good rain fall the official weather map did not disclose. Export business moderate with light offerings. The seaboard confirmed sales of 300,000 bushels. Stocks of wheat at Minneapolis for four days this week showed a decrease of 130,000 bushels.

Chicago, May 26 (By R. P. Clark & Co.)—Wheat: Market was much more active and prices advanced sharply with May in the lead. General short covering on in that delivery and it went to around 20 1/2 cents over July, the widest premium on the crop. Cash premiums here about steady. July advanced another 1 1/2 cents, selling at offerings price.

Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close
May (old)	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
May (new)	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
July	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Sept.	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Oct.	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Nov.	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Dec.	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Jan.	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Feb.	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Mar.	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Apr.	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
May	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
June	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
July	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2

## VICTORY BONDS

Victory Loan 5 1/2%	Buy	Sell
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### DIED

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Funeral will take place from the family residence on the afternoon of May 28.

WRIGHT—On May 24, 1926, at Victoria, B.C., John Alexander Wright, aged 22 years, born in Sharnbrook, Scotland. He leaves to mourn his loss his widow and mother in Victoria.

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## THE YELLOW STUB

"Damn you!" cried Church hotly, his calm vanishing in the face of the other's maddening coolness. "What do you want here?" His face was red, his voice loud and no longer under control.

His fingers twitched. "I'll ring for a servant and have you thrown out. Damn your impudence."

"Go ahead and ring, Church. I don't think anyone will answer." Rand's tone was still level, unconcerned. Then he said sharply, "Sit down, Church," and there was a rising, ominous note in his voice that caused the other man to stop dead still and stare.

"Go on, sit down," he reiterated. "If you don't, I may have to use this." From his hip pocket he drew a revolver, which he laid on the end of the table nearest him. Then, as Church slowly settled into his chair, Jimmy drew one for himself.

He said, leaning forward and fixing the other with an unblinking stare, "Church, I've got a long story to tell you to-night—and I've got something to settle with you." He continued, noting the white, blanching of Church's face. "First, there's the matter of Olga Maynard."

He paused, and at his next words sudden relief was stamped on Church's countenance.

"Church," he said, "you hounded that girl to death, didn't you? Because she defied you, you had her fired from every job she could find. Only a low dog would play a trick like that."

"Even if that were true," replied Church, who had regained much of his lost composure. "I can't see where it becomes your business."

"If that were all that I had to say I wouldn't be here, never fear. It became my business when you had me fired, didn't it?"

"What do you mean? You're crazy!"

"Listen, Church, save your breath for what you're going to tell me presently. Mr. Hilton, at the Q. & R. Railroad, admitted he fired me at your suggestion. Furthermore, that man Porter at the laundry admits he was paid a hundred dollars to let me go. His stenographer told on him."

"But even that Mr. Church, isn't all, and you know it."

"Well, hurry up. I've no time to waste sitting here listening to you." There was a hint of impatience in Church's voice as he said this. "You're not going anywhere—not just yet, anyway," he added significantly.

"You young cub," Church sputtered, "I'll have you thrown out on your neck."

"You'll listen to me first," the Jimmy looked straight at the other's eyes. "Why don't you call up Jensen or Kid Davis and see if you can get any help from them?" He saw every vestige of color recede from Church's face.

"I see you know the gentlemen," pursued Jimmy.

Church looked as if he had been struck a sudden blow. "I don't know what you're talking about," he snarled. "You're crazy."

from Church? I've just come from a lonely house in the country where Jensen and Kid Davis have been keeping Olga Maynard. That surprises you, doesn't it? And Jensen confessed to me that he killed my father—killed him in that hotel room in Grafton with a blackjack and then turned on the gas to make it look like suicide.

"I've known for some time, Church, that like Jensen was the murderer. But not until to-day did I know that you were the man who hired him to do it."

"Don't!" almost screamed Church. "You lie!"

"Jensen," went on Jimmy impetuously, "has confessed. He's being held now by police," he lied. "Church, if you don't tell me why you killed Henry Rand, I'll tell you why my self, and then I'll shoot you. I'm giving you a chance. That's more than you gave my father."

The other man's head fell forward on his breast. His knuckles were red spots where they clutched the arms of his chair.

Jimmy continued: "I ought to kill you right now, Church. Right where you sit." He glanced at his watch. "There are just three minutes more. That will give me time to tell you of what I learned from Mexico City and still leave time for you to confess."

At the words "Mexico City," Church raised his head sharply, but Rand went on.

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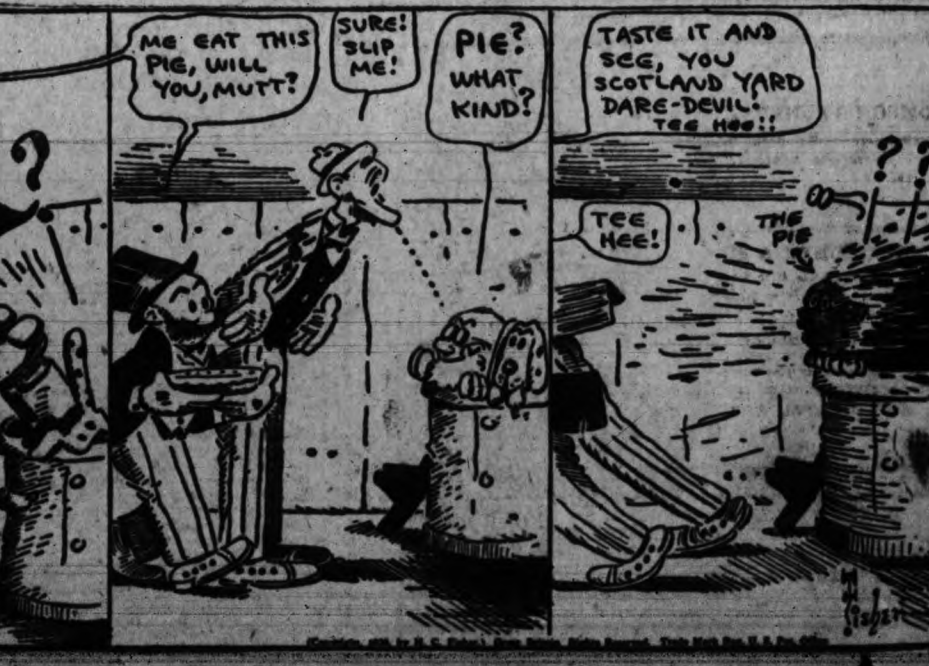
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## Colwood

Special to The Times

Colwood, May 26—A special general meeting of the Colwood Women's Institute will be held on Thursday evening, May 27, at the Colwood Hall. Some misunderstanding appears to have arisen regarding the date and members are asked

to take particular note of this announcement.

The dance held in the Luxton Hall on Friday night last under the auspices of the Luxton and Happy Valley Women's Institute was a decided success. In spite of the many attractions in town the crowd numbered more than 100. Pitt's orchestra provided the dance music and refreshments were served by ladies of the institute. It was announced that the next dance to be held in the Luxton Hall would be on Friday, June 4, under the auspices of the hall committee in aid of the hall funds.

A concert and social evening will be held in the hall on Saturday, May 29 under the auspices of the women's institute to which a cordial invitation to all is extended.

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## STIR INTEREST IN P.G.E. DISTRICTS

New Achievement in Map Making Shows All Facts About Settlement

Experts of All Government Departments Co-operate to Aid Intending Settlers

An entirely new departure in map making has just been achieved by experts of the Provincial Lands Department in the form of an economic map of the East Lillooet district, the most suitable area contiguous to the Pacific Great Eastern Railway for early settlement.

Nothing approaching the character of the survey contained in this remarkable map has ever been turned out at the Parliament Buildings here before. The work of Major G. C. Aiken, chief geographer, and his staff, the map sums up every feature of the East Lillooet district in a simple direct way which provides a clear-cut picture of the country's possibilities. The facts contained in the map and in the written material printed with it will do more than anything ever attempted before to attract attention to the P. G. E. country, it is believed.

### FIRST CHOICE AREA

The East Lillooet area was selected for this new advance in map making because it is considered the first choice district along the line of the Government railway adjacent to the Province's chief market, Vancouver. The intending settlers will be interested in the economic notations regarding natural resources which appear on the face of the map. On the back is printed a careful and remarkably simple compilation of facts regarding climate, agriculture, mining, forestry, grazing and other matters connected with the development of the country.

These facts were assembled by provincial experts of all Government departments so as to present in a small space a picture of the East Lillooet country as a whole.

### ALL FACTS SHOWN

Some idea of the trouble with which the geographers have gone to their effort to provide really satisfactory information about the country is shown by the official legend of the map as given out at the Lands Department. It explains the use of the various colors used on the face of the map.

With the skillful use of these colors the geographers have indicated the positions of rivers and lakes and shown where they are surveyed and unsurveyed; the surveyed land lots, railways and certain main roads as well as post offices and government offices. The contour of the land is indicated by another color, which also reveals the geological formation of the ground. Even the meadow lands useful for hay production and the areas subject to occasional floods are shown.

On the face of the map are condensed descriptive notes which would give a man going into the country a clear and practical picture of what he can expect to find in soil conditions, forest cover, grazing, fishing and hunting.

### MUCH LAND AVAILABLE

So that intending settlers may know exactly what lands they can secure the areas already sold by the Government are clearly marked. Only a small part of the entire district has been so alienated and land to suit the individual tastes of everyone is still available in enormous stretches.

On the back of the map the reader is struck with the clear way the resources of the settlement district are set out. The section dealing with grazing is particularly striking. The experts evidently consider that great enterprises of that country and have devoted much attention to its possibilities.

## 992 SEATTLE STOLEN AUTOS RECOVERED

Seattle, May 26—Figures announced here to-day by the Department of Justice show more stolen automobiles had been recovered by that department in Seattle than in any other city of the United States. Seattle was credited with 992 recoveries since the act was passed. St. Louis was next with 614.

## EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS CHICAGO, JUNE, 1926

The Greatest Event in the History of the Catholic Church in America

C.N.Rys. to Operate Special Trains From Western Canada

Of unusual importance to Roman Catholics is the 28th International Eucharistic Congress in Chicago, Ill., June 26 to 24 next.

The Church dignitaries are duly appreciative of the efforts made by the Canadian National Railways, who have arranged to operate special trains to and from the Congress, and have also made reservations for several hundred people in good hotels at a reasonable expense, and ask their people to make application promptly for the necessary sleeping car and hotel accommodation. The Church authorities were consulted prior to arranging the train service so that the proper departure time from the various centres would be ensured.

Those who desire to use the regular service have the privilege of travelling on the through train which is operated during the Summer season from Western Canada to Chicago.

Any agent of the Canadian National Railways will be pleased to give you further particulars and complete all arrangements.

## PAY SOLDIERS' BILL, BUT UNDER PROTEST

Municipal Solicitor - Advises Council to Abide by Hospital Act

Esquimalt will pay its hospital bills, as the amendments to the Hospital Act make necessary, but only under protest, it was decided at the meeting of the council last night. The Act requires that Esquimalt pay for indigent patients from the municipality attending Jubilee Hospital at the rate of seventy cents per day per person. Esquimalt protests this responsibility.

Soldiers who are under treatment or care of the B.C.H. Hospital, believe, should not be the council's responsibility. This problem is in the hands of the municipal solicitor. Questioned on this score, Municipal Solicitor Sedger did not feel prepared to advise whether the hospital legislation was ultra vires of the Province. He advised that Esquimalt should pay the hospital bill. The council will pay, but only under protest. Reeve R. P. Matheson expressed himself strongly in this regard. It was an industry case, he declared, to impose upon a municipality a tax that should rightfully belong to someone else.

## Pender Island

Special to The Times

Pender Island, May 26—Mrs. Geo. MacRae and two children of Vancouver arrived Saturday and will spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. James Simpson of Otter Bay.

Jim Bryant and Pat O'Neill are spending a few days on the island, with Mrs. A. Auchterlonie.

Harry Hoosen spent a few days in Victoria last week.

Miss Jean Brackett of Vancouver is home for a few days.

Joe Liberto, Mrs. Carpenter and Stephen Adams, spent the week-end in Victoria.

Mr. Harold and Laurie Auchterlonie, and Miss Ruth Hoffman spent a few days on the island.

Mrs. Res of Vancouver is visiting on the island with her daughter, Mrs. P. G. Stebbings.

The Women's Missionary Society will meet in the clubroom on Thursday, May 27, at 2.30. Mr. Stebbings will address the meeting.

A surprise party was given in honor of Miss Hilda and Grove Logan on Friday 21, at Port Washington. An enjoyable evening was spent with refreshments. The guests were: Misses Beth Brackett, Vera Simpson, Helen Boyd, Gerlie Adams and Miss Elsie, Edith Bowerman, Mesters, George Grimmer, Arthur Bowerman, William Hoosen, Basil Phillips, and Roy and Stephen Adams.

Miss Seal of Victoria is staying with Mrs. Alex. Hamilton at Brown Harbor in Mrs. Taylor's absence.

Mr. Simpson came down from Vancouver for a holiday, and was a guest of Mrs. J. H. Simpson and Miss Vera Simpson, who are occupying Mr. Fry's house.

Mr. and Mrs. James Simpson gave a jolly out-door dance to number of their friends on Monday evening at their home at Otter Bay.

Mrs. Herbert Hodgson and her two small children returned to Vancouver on Friday.

Tom Newnham has recently purchased a launch and intends to go fishing soon. Jas. Bradley has sold his launch.

The annual sports day on May 24 proved a very enjoyable outing for both old and young. The site this year was at Welcome Bay, where Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith kindly loaned their camping grounds for the occasion. The weather was ideal and all the usual sporting events were well participated in. A booth where refreshments and ice cream were sold did a rushing business all afternoon.

## Much Married Man Big Success As an Actor

Philadelphia, May 26—The secret of his success in deceiving women in marriage and defrauding them of several hundreds of thousands of dollars, a "Lord Beaverbrook" otherwise Herman Krueger and Robert Whitman, has told the police here, was his talent for acting. Krueger, who was arrested in the West, alleged swindles by which he had robbed numerous women of large amounts of jewelry and money, was free in telling of his exploits.

Krueger, which the prisoner with a dozen other aliases, said was his real name, lamented recent heavy losses in gambling. He declared he spent all his time, but only professional gamblers had outsmarted him.

"I've fooled a lot of people," he told the police. "I've fooled a lot of them wanted to be fooled. Others thought they were fooling me. The gamblers were the only ones who really fooled me."

Krueger was lodged in prison without bail to await a hearing. Police declared he had essayed many roles, and usually was successful in marrying his victims within a few weeks after which he disappeared with their valuables. His vanity was his undoing, for detectives knew of his fondness for sensational attention and watched the barber shop. He was arrested in the barber shop of a large hotel here.

Japanese novelties, such as porcelain, lacquer, matings and paper articles make up less than three per cent of Japan's export trade.

## BEJ FOR SOUR STOMACH

## BIDGEMAN BUYS ESQUIMALT LOTS

Victoria Realtor Purchases Four Parcels of Haig Street Property

J. C. Bridgman has purchased four lots from the Esquimalt Municipality located on Haig Street, at a price of \$401, according to a letter of acceptance received by the council last night, in which the Victoria real estate dealer announced his intention to accept the council's price.

Although the lots were reverted lands, and the taxes on them less than the price paid, Mr. Bridgman accepted the terms of the municipality unconditionally. At the last meeting of the council it was decided that the original price quoted on the lots and which Mr. Bridgman had accepted, should never have been increased. Mr. Bridgman, believing he was a victim of a competitive bid, increased his offer to the municipality for the four lots. The council accepted and then reconsidered. It was hardly fair, some of the council members thought. Reeve Matheson said that in his opinion it was not just for the council to accept the higher price when it had in reality never had any competitive bidder for the property.

Mr. Bridgman was acquainted with the situation. He was not loathe to accept the second price and keep to the offer he had made. The lots were what he offered, he believed. The council's decision to accept the highest price or take the lots off the market was settled by the realtor's decision.

Reeve Matheson disagreed with the majority of the council when he said that the sale price of the lots might upset the assessment. The municipal solicitor, however, told the council that in his opinion the assessment would not be changed by the sale of the lots at the price of \$401.

## DAILY RADIO PROGRAMMES

WEDNESDAY, MAY 26

5 p.m.—Studio programme. Talk, "Making Canada Safer," by Joseph Ross.

6 p.m.—Studio programme. B.C. CPKC (291) New Westminster, B.C.

6:10 p.m.—Studio programme. CPKC (411) Vancouver, B.C.

6:20 p.m.—Dinner hour news. 6:30 p.m.—Weekly talk, Native Sons of Canada.

6:40 p.m.—Studio programme. 10:30-11:30 p.m.—Musical programme. CPKC (411) Vancouver, B.C.

4:30-5:30 p.m.—Studio programme. CPKC (411) Vancouver, B.C.

7:30-8:30 p.m.—Weekly lecture on "Health."

8:00-9:00 p.m.—Studio programme. CPKC (411) Vancouver, B.C.

4:30-5:30 p.m.—Programme. CPKC (411) Vancouver, B.C.

9 p.m.—Bluejackets' orchestra. KNX (337) Hollywood, Cal.

8 p.m.—Courtney programme. 10 p.m.—Feature programme.

11 p.m.—Ray West's Coconut Grove orchestra.

6:30 p.m.—U.S. Department of Agriculture programme.

7 p.m.—California Farm Bureau evening radio news.

8 p.m.—Weather and praise service of the First Baptist Church.

8:30 p.m.—Seattle, Wash. KJR (284) Seattle, Wash.

8:40-9:40 p.m.—New York stock quotations.

9:40-10:40 p.m.—Olympic Calpesters studio programme.

10:40-11:40 p.m.—States Restaurant orchestra.

7:30 p.m.—Rudy Selger's Fairmont Hotel orchestra.

8 p.m.—Atwater Kent artists. 8 p.m.—Goodrich Silvertones Cord orchestra.

10-11 p.m.—States Restaurant orchestra.

KTAB (240) Oakland, Cal. 8-10 p.m.—Studio programme, the Smokey Mountain orchestra.

KOWW (250) Walla Walla, Wash. 7-9 p.m.—Weather, markets, talk.

8 p.m.—Studio programme. 10-12 p.m.—Orchestra.

8-10 p.m.—Orchestra. 8-10 p.m.—Orchestra, Colo.

8 p.m.—Special all-night programme, during which KOA will attempt to reach radio listeners of thirty-five countries and nationalities.

KGV (402) Kelowna, B.C. 9 p.m.—Concert of vocal and instrumental music.

10-11 p.m.—Courtney concert. KFOA (455) Seattle, Wash.

4:15-5:15 p.m.—The Times news bulletins, weather report.

6:45 p.m.—Courtney musical programme.

8 p.m.—Weather report, Automobile Club news.

8:30-10 p.m.—Studio programme. KWC (281) Pullman, Wash.

7:15-9 p.m.—Farm Flashes. Musical programme, with talks of general interest.

KFWI (225) So. San Francisco, Cal. 8 p.m.—Half-hour of humorous programme.

8:30 p.m.—Dance music by Paul Kell's 12 Travellers orchestra.

9:30 p.m.—Meetings with the Tom Cats. 11-1 a.m.—Paul Kell's 12 Travellers orchestra.

KFWB (252) Hollywood, Cal. 8 p.m.—Bill Hatch and his Oakland orchestra.

9 p.m.—Romola orchestra and assisting artists.

10-11 p.m.—Warner Bros. frolic. KFI (467) Los Angeles, Cal.

5:30-11 p.m.—Continuous varied programme.

KOIN (319) Portland, Ore. 8-9 p.m.—KOIN Radio Players in popular one-act radio plays.

8-10 p.m.—Orchestra programme. KCLX (280) Oakland, Cal.

8-9 p.m.—Educational programme. 9-10 p.m.—Special programme.

KFPA (261) Ogden, Utah 8 p.m.—The "Beaverbrook" orchestra.

## SECOND TOUR IS PLANNED BY MONTREAL BODY

University of Montreal to Organize Another Western Visit by Quebec Citizens

The University of Montreal will again organize a Western Canada tour for professors and students of the University and prominent citizens of the Province of Quebec.

Vice-Rector Emile Chartier, writing to the City Council, recalled the great success of a similar tour held last year and stated that many insistent demands have been made for organization of another tour this year. The party will spend two days in Victoria, July 12 and 14.

Aldermen last night expressed interest in the proposed visit and Alderman Cuthbert Haines suggested that any entertainment programme should include a tour of the city's industries.

Alderman Woodward saw good publicity in entertainment of such parties, but thought the city should early each year call for tenders for transportation of civic guests instead of paying current charges. The Finance Committee will consider appropriation of funds for entertainment of the Montreal University delegation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Friker and children of Victoria spent the week-end with Mrs. L. Hafer, Central Saanich Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Hightstead and Miss Hazel Henderson of Sonoma were week-end visitors at the home of Mrs. Hightstead's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Rhode, Central Saanich Road.

Mrs. Moran and sons of Duncan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Butler, Keating Cross Road.

Miss K. McCrae of Cedar Hill, was a visitor at the home of Mrs. M. Anderson, Telegraph Road, over the week-end.

Mr. George Hafer returned from Port Angeles and spent the holiday at his home on Central Saanich Road.

Miss Beatrice Butler of Keating Cross Road is visiting relatives at Duncan and Parksville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Young of Victoria spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Michell, East Saanich Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell of Ladysmith, spent the week-end at their home, Island View, Telegraph Road.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Dean of Telegraph Road, have left for several weeks' holiday in Portland, Oregon.

Miss Emily Walloch, who has been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Styan, Central Saanich Road, for the past week, has returned to Victoria.

An interesting and inspiring service was held in the South Saanich United Church on Sunday morning, when the St. Paul's group of Canadian Girls in Training from Sidney had entire charge. Miss Taylor, president of the girls, made a capable leader and an excellent address was given by Miss Annie Fountain, B.A., from Vancouver, Girls' Work Secretary for British Columbia, who told of the formation and aims and objects of the C.G.I.F. The service took the form of a Mother and Daughter service, the church being prettily decorated for the occasion by members of the Young People's Club of South Saanich.

The decorated automobile entered in the parade on May 24 by the South Saanich Junior Institute was awarded a special third prize. The car was decorated in the institute colors of green, white and gold, in a tropical design with a thatched hut, palm trees and full-blown golden poppies, while two brilliantly-colored parrots were placed at the front and rear of the car, the car making a very effective and pretty display. The members of the club wish to thank all who so kindly assisted with the decorating of the car or helped in any other way.

The first of the series of the strawberry season dances will be held in the Temperance Hall on Friday evening, May 23. Ray Kinloch's three-piece orchestra will provide the music and dancing will be from 9 till 1 o'clock.

The directors of the North and South Saanich Agricultural Society will hold a meeting at the Agricultural Hall, Saanich, this evening at 8 o'clock.

The Misses E. and I. Moses of Deep Bay motored to Nanaimo, where they spent the week-end.

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